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MANCHU RULE IS NEAR AN END

EXTRAVAGANT PROMISES MADE BY THRONE

Efforts to Rally All Classes to the Support of Royal Standard

Peking, Oct. 31.—The state of terror which has taken possession of the entire imperial court was further evidenced to-day by a long list of edicts supplementing yesterday's remarkable proclamation and offering further concessions of the government of a radical character.

To-day's edicts indicate that even though the dynasty survives Manchuria is at an end. The transfer over of the cabinet officers to native Chinese is expected and the throne shall be retained equally among them. A system by which Manchus are to be paid to hold office is to be discontinued and the Manchus are to earn a living by their own enterprise.

All to-day's edicts, like that of yesterday, are written in the first person, as coming from the infant emperor himself. This is unusual and apparently a device adopted by the throne's advisers in a pathetic attempt to create the attention of the people to loyalty to their sovereign.

The edicts make a complete capitulation to the demands of the National Assembly and even go so far as to offer extravagant praise to the rebels, for bringing about the great reforms which are promised.

The throne acknowledges its incapacity, pleads ignorance of affairs, and requires the assistance and advice of all citizens. Finally it makes a hysterical effort to rally Chinese and Manchus alike to the royal standard by hinting at grave dangers which it thinks should be faced by a united people. In his struggle for existence, the infant emperor even condemns many of his own closest relatives. The present officialdom, he declares, has not sought the interests of the people, but only its own purpose.

The revolutionists are unimpressed by the flood of edicts from the emperor. They declare that the dynasty's partial surrender has come too late. Moreover, they do not trust the throne, regarding their present position as too strong for yielding to promises which they feel are insincere.

But while the edicts have apparently failed of their hoped-for effect in conciliating the rebels, they have stirred up a most formidable opposition from a new source.

The announcement that most of the Manchus officials must go and that the Manchus pensions will be cut off immediately produced a pronounced dissatisfaction in the ranks of the Manchus and many members of this race at once began talking of a massacre of revenge.

There were indications to-day that these proposals would find support particularly among the younger Manchus princes, who will now be stripped of their high offices and unable longer to exploit their positions. The missionaries and even private houses occupied by foreigners were besieged by both Manchus and Chinese, who sought protection from each other.

Prince Ching, the premier, is using his influence to restrain that element of the Manchus who may be disposed to violence. For their part the Manchus fear a rebel invasion of the capital.

The government has asked the mission directors to establish a Red Cross hospital outside of the city.

LOS ANGELES MAYORALTY.

Job Harriman, Attorney for the McNamara, is Candidate for Nomination.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 31.—For the first time in the history of the city, little red badges and pennants, symbols of Social Democracy, fluttered by dozens and scores outside the 100-foot limits of polling booths, where the men of Los Angeles were casting votes to-day in the primary for the selection of candidates. The crimson ribbons were worn by workers for Job Harriman, attorney for the McNamara brothers and Socialist candidate for mayor, and in numbers and industry wearers matched those who were distinguished by the white ribbon of the "Good Government" forces, supporting the present mayor, George Alexander.

Incidentally this is the last time that men will have the exclusive privilege of deciding such a question.

At the city election, December 5, the women will vote. Twenty-three thousand women already are on the registry roll, and it is estimated that the total will reach 40,000 when the registration books close is complete.

TRIES TO ESCAPE.

Neelson, B. C. Oct. 31.—Seeking to evade arrest, Mike Robson jumped three stories from his boarding house bedroom in sight of the constable and landed on the sidewalk unhurt. He was arrested and will appear in the police court to-morrow charged with the theft of \$25 worth of clothing from a section camp at Five-

ITALIAN TROOPS FORCED TO RETREAT

BUSY BUILDING ENTRENCHMENT IN TRIPOLI

Turks and Arab Allies Hope to Recapture City—Seize Guns and Provisions

Constantinople, Oct. 31.—The Turkish troops with their Arab allies have returned to the forts at Tripoli and forced the Italians to re-entrench themselves within the city, after abandoning large quantities of guns, rifles, ammunition and provisions, according to a telegram from Rahmi Bey, the deputy of Salonica, who is now at Tripoli.

The message was received by the Tanin, last midnight, and reads:

"The Italians were unable to resist the fierce assaults of the Arabs and were compelled to retreat. The Italians still hold three forts. The Arabs are displaying remarkable heroism and hope to re-capture the city."

The message was undated.

Reinforcements for Italians.

Naples, Oct. 31.—Further reinforcements for the Italian troops in Tripoli are being assembled here. The movement is attended with much secrecy.

From an authoritative source, it is learned that the present reinforcements will form another army division comprising four regiments of infantry, besides supplementary troops, artillery, cavalry and engineers totalling about 15,000 men. It is evident that the government is preparing for still later expeditions, as steamers chartered as transports are still being retained at considerable expense. Judging from the arrangements made here, which is the headquarters of the commissary for the colonies, a further expedition of troops will follow in the near future. It is expected that before the first of the year, Italy will have an army of occupation in Tripoli numbering 100,000 men.

Captives Shot Down.

Berlin, Oct. 31.—A dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Tripoli, dated October 28, by way of Tunis, says the Italians lost in last Monday's battle 145 killed or wounded. The Turkish losses were slight, but the Arabian cavalry met with severe losses.

The Italians are seizing hundreds of natives, bringing them into the city in chains and shooting them in groups. Italian discipline is demoralized. The soldiers have lost their heads and are almost out of control of their officers. The general staff is more than uneasy.

The correspondent says that in Thursday's battle the losses on both sides were enormous. Hundreds of Tripolitans broke through the Italian lines and disappeared in the oasis. For the first time the Turks were repulsed, instead of withdrawing voluntarily. Nevertheless, they repeated several times their vain attacks.

The Turks have organized a regular caravan service for provisioning their forces from the southern provinces. The Arabs are streaming more numerous than ever to the aid of the Turks, even from the most remote provinces.

TWO CHILDREN PERISH IN FIRE

Flames Destroy Home While Little Ones Sleep—Aviator Burned to Death

Schenectady, N. Y., Oct. 31.—While Mrs. Pulchow was out last night fire destroyed her home and burned to death two of her three children, while they were sleeping. The father, who has not lived with his wife for some time, watched the fire from across the street, apparently untouched and made no attempt to enter the home.

Aviator's Death.

Garden City, N. Y., Oct. 31.—Edwin S. Fleet, an aviator, at the Nassau Boulevard field, was burned to death in his bed at his hotel last night. He had been reading and fell asleep with a lighted cigarette in his hand.

Women Burned to Death.

North Yakima, Wash., Oct. 31.—From burns received from spreading oil from a new lamp, Mrs. Robert Moberly, 316 1/2 South Seventh street, died in St. Elizabeth's hospital. Her first attempt to light the dry wick failed, and she turned the lamp upside down to let the oil run into the wick. It spread into the bowl, and her next match put the oil in a blaze. With her clothing in flames and her hair and eyebrows burned, she ran into the home of a neighbor, who cut her clothing from her.

EVA BOOTH ILL.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Miss Eva Booth, commander of the Salvation Army in America, was taken ill last night at the Army hall as she was about to address a meeting. Miss Booth has just ended a month's tour of the Western states and is said to be suffering from a nervous breakdown.



SOME FOUNDLING—Montreal Herald.
MR. BORDEN—I don't mean to appear heartless, but I should be much happier now if this little darling had never been born.

FOX HUNTERS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Train Sweeps Round Curve as Horsemen Ride Along C. P. R.

Ottawa, Oct. 31.—Several members of Ottawa Hunt Club, including Hon. Clifford Sifton and Dr. J. C. Rutherford, Dominion veterinary, had a narrow escape from death on Saturday. They were following a fox along the C. P. R. Prescott line when a train swept round the curve and the horsemen had to hurry for their lives. The fox which was being pursued and two dogs were killed by the train.

STABBED HIS MOTHER.

The Dalles, Ore., Oct. 31.—In the presence of his father and brother, William Gillman, aged 45, a shepherd, stabbed and killed his aged mother, who had remonstrated with him for his alleged intemperance. The stabbing occurred at the family home on a ranch near Antelope.

EDITOR ACCUSED OF ASSAULT.

Fort Saskatchewan, Oct. 31.—Elve Wellington, editor of the Weekly Reporter, was yesterday arrested for throwing a pot of lye into the face of T. C. Sacy, the town constable. The latter is under arrest for shooting at Wellington. The difficulty grew out of efforts of the officer to take possession of the newspaper office under attachment proceedings.

LESSONS FROM BATTLESHIP EXPLOSION

U. S. Naval Secretary Orders Precautions in Handling Smokeless Powder

Washington, D. C., Oct. 31.—Extraordinary precaution in the handling of smokeless powder has been ordered by Secretary of the Navy Meyer, as the result of the reports of the explosion which destroyed the French battleship *Liberte* which was due to the deterioration of this high explosive.

When smokeless powder is taken from magazines on shore to the ships, or from the ships to shore for target practice, the order says it must be efficiently shaded from the direct rays of the sun and protected from exposure to a temperature higher than 100 degrees Fahrenheit. When this has not been done, the exposed ammunition must be segregated, and if on board ships, it must be landed at a naval magazine at the first opportunity if there is reason for the belief that it has deteriorated.

REFERENDUM ON NAVAL QUESTION

NEW MINISTER TELLS OF PREMIER'S PROMISE

Hon. L. P. Pelletier Says Policy He Advocated in Quebec Will Be Carried Out

Quebec, Oct. 31.—Hon. L. P. Pelletier, the new postmaster-general, who was re-elected by acclamation in Quebec county, made some important declarations at the meeting held immediately after the nomination at Lorette. On the navy question, Mr. Pelletier declared that he was not going to take another position than the one he had taken in the last campaign, that is, that he would insist upon having a referendum on the navy question. This referendum would be held, he declared.

"When I was called to Mr. Borden's cabinet," he continued, "I was not asked to withdraw a single line of the programme that I have submitted to my electors and my efforts will tend to complete the carrying out of this programme. We shall have this referendum that we ask for and we shall stand by the decision of the majority of the Canadian people on that question. Moreover, we may be offered more than a referendum and we will be still more glad to accept it."

Commenting upon the latter's declaration, Armand Lavigne went further. "I know," he said, "that Mr. Pelletier will carry out his promise about referendum. But I am in a position to say more—I assure you that you have this referendum. While Mr. Borden was forming his cabinet, I went to Ottawa to see him and I said to him: 'Here is the province of Quebec, regenerated, do you want her?'"

"Mr. Borden tendered me a loyal hand and I can assure you that he is not a fanatic as he was called in Quebec. English-speaking people from the sister provinces have at last understood us. They have understood that if we want this Canadian confederation to live, there must not be any more question of victors and vanquished in this country. We want an idea of complete equality between the great races who live together in Canada."

"We are confident that the present government will protect sufficiently the rights of the French-Canadians. They are in good hands."

DENIES STRIKE STORY.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Officials of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad here to-day denied that their shopmen are talking of a strike and taking a strike vote to force a wage increase.

F. O. Mohr, vice-president in charge of operation, says the road had no official notice that any vote was being taken, but that the only ungranted demand of the men was for recognition of the system of federation, the same cause for which shopmen on the Harriman lines are now striking.

BY-ELECTIONS FOR ALBERTA LEGISLATURE

There Are Four Vacancies in the Provincial House

Calgary, Alberta, Oct. 31.—Four provincial bye-elections are being fought to-day, namely Lethbridge, Pincher Creek, Gleichen and Macleod, all in the southern part of the province. Assisted by Senator Loughheed and R. B. Bennett, M. P., the opposition has made a strenuous effort to capture the quarter, the main issue being the policy of Premier Sifton on the great waterways question.

DIES ON TRAIN.

James Wilson, Toronto Park Commissioner, Passes Away Suddenly at Kamloops.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—James Wilson, whose death was reported from Kamloops, B.C., early this morning, was commissioner of Toronto parks since 1908. He came from Niagara Falls park, of which he was superintendent. He was on two months' leave of absence when he died on the train. His early career was with the G. T. R. at Montreal. His widow was with him when the end came. A family of one daughter and three sons survive.

MANITOBA BAR SOCIETY.

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.—J. A. M. Aikens, M. P. elect, is taking steps toward the formation of a Manitoba bar society, and lawyers of the province will be invited to meet at Winnipeg on November 19 for that purpose.

CHURCHILL'S PLANS FOR WAR COUNCIL

New First Lord of Admiralty at Work on Scheme Regarding Navies

London, Oct. 31.—It is understood that Winston Churchill, the new first lord of the Admiralty, is considering the establishment of a war council, which among other things will act as a connecting link with the administration of overseas navies, thus promoting the unity idea.

TRAINS COLLIDE.

Stockman Killed and Several Others Injured in Wreck Near Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.—Thomas Chapman, a stockman of Medicine Hat, Alta., was killed and several others were seriously injured when a C. P. R. stock train was telescoped by a freight train last night near here. Fifty head of cattle were killed.

ONTARIO ELECTIONS EARLY IN DECEMBER

PREMIER WHITNEY ISSUES MANIFESTO

Cabinet Minister to Continue Work of Hydro-Electric Commission

Toronto, Oct. 31.—The provincial elections will take place Monday, December 11, with nomination a week earlier. The date was announced yesterday by Sir James Whitney, who also issued his manifesto to the people of the province setting forth the accomplishments of the government since its advent to power in 1905, and the reasons for the decision to hold the general election now.

One of the most important announcements made by the premier is that the time has arrived for the discontinuance of the hydro-electric power commission and the creation of a new department of government with a cabinet minister at the head to take over the work carried on by the commission.

Announcement is also made of the decision to develop northern Ontario with the assistance of the Dominion government and further provincial appropriations. As the former Dominion government granted bonuses of \$5,400 a mile to new railways, but persistently refused to give a bonus to the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario railway, application for the payment of the bonus will be made to the Borden government.

HUNTERS FIND BODY.

Ashland, Ore., Oct. 31.—The body of Nathan Rogandy, a business man of Albany, Ore., who mysteriously disappeared while in this city on business several months ago, was found by hunters two miles southeast of this city Sunday. Large rewards for information as to Rogandy's whereabouts have been standing since shortly after his disappearance. There are indications that Rogandy was slain and his body dragged to the place where it was found.

C. P. R. LINER FLOATED.

Montreal, Oct. 31.—The C. P. R. steamer *Lake Champlain*, which has been stranded in the channel here for three days, is safely afloat in deep water to-day. The united efforts of tug boats and her own steam were required to pull her off.

Fifteen hundred tons of cargo had to be lightered before the vessel could be moved. The vessel is only slightly damaged.

REVIEW OF U. S. WARSHIPS.

San Diego, Cal., Oct. 31.—With two submarines steaming north to San Pedro and twenty-four warships of the Pacific fleet preparing to follow this afternoon, the great mobilization and review of this great body of warships in western waters will take place in the harbor at San Pedro, commencing to-morrow afternoon.

After the mobilization is complete the warships will steam for their respective stations on the coast on the morning of November 3.

SHOT DOWN WHILE WALKING WITH WIFE

San Bernardino Man Killed by Stranger a Few Feet From Home

San Bernardino, Cal., Oct. 31.—Mistaken for another man, Santiago Avila was shot and killed early yesterday by an unidentified assassin while walking to his home with his arm around his wife's waist. When within a few feet of his home, a stranger accosted Avila, asking "Is this Juan?" He replied in the negative.

The words were hardly out of his mouth before the stranger opened fire, firing six shots, all but one going wild. The last bullet pierced Avila's body, causing instant death. Mrs. Avila fainted at the first shot, falling unconscious into her husband's arms. She narrowly escaped death. Pedestrians found Mrs. Avila unconscious with her husband's arms clasped around her in a death clasp.

YELLOW FEVER IN HONOLULU.

Honolulu, Oct. 31.—A case of yellow fever has been discovered here. The victim is a Hawaiian and he is believed to have been infected with the disease from the Japanese liner *Hongkong Maru*, which recently arrived here from Central America.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

Port Arthur, Oct. 31.—The city has decided to establish a municipal employment bureau and will refuse individual licenses for employment agencies in the future.

MOWED DOWN BY MACHINE GUNS

REBEL BATTALION AND LOYAL TROOPS CLASH

Thousand Revolutionists Killed During Fighting of Last Six Days

Hankow, Oct. 31.—via Wu Han.—The revolutionists have rallied and re-organized their forces and are furiously contesting the imperialists' advance on Han Han. The insurgents still hold a section of the city which separates the foreign concessions from the native city. The Red Cross directors estimate that 1,000 revolutionists have been killed and between 2,000 and 3,000 wounded during the fighting of the last six days.

In a rebel battalion, which faced the imperialist machine guns with intrepid tenacity, only two or three escaped. The others were mowed down. The loyalists lost from 200 to 300 killed.

Massacre Feared.

Shanghai, Oct. 31.—A few days will tell the future fortune of China. The burning of the native city of Hankow by imperialists, accompanied according to reports, by brutal treatment of Chinese by Manchus, has created the worst possible impression.

It is predicted that unless the Manchus immediately demonstrate the sincerity of the imperial edicts being issued at Peking the slaughter will exceed that of the Tai Ping rebellion.

The district of the Yangtze Kiang river is quiet. There is every indication that the native cities of Shanghai, Nanking, Chang Kiang, Chan Chow and the lower Yangtze forts will be in the hands of the rebels within a week. Further reports of small up-river towns and others in the heart of the Szechuen province going over to the rebels are received.

The panic among the officials at Peking is regarded as one of the worst features of the situation, as it betrays a weakness on the part of the dynasty before the spirit of revolution. Leaders of the new party look on the issuance of the edicts as a victory far greater than anything that had been won in fighting.

Rebel Victory Reported.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 31.—A dispatch reporting the re-capture of Hankow by the rebels was received here to-day from Shanghai by the Chinese Press Press.

According to the message the rebel army from Han Yang moved against the imperial forces and surrounded the city. The Royalists were compelled to withdraw after two of their regiments had been captured.

The reported victory of the rebels at Hankow is confirmed in part by the Ching Shai Yat Po, which also received a cable from Shanghai to-day. While this dispatch does not state that Hankow itself has been taken, the fact that the first railway station outside of the city and a point of great strategic importance has been captured by the rebels in a battle and is now being strongly fortified. This battle, it is said, has just taken place.

Another piece of news from Canton has it that this city is in a critical state because of impending conflict between the rebels and the officials belonging to the Manchus regime. The people are leaving the city in all directions.

The imperial forces at Chin Shan, near Canton, have rebelled. The victory there has fortified his city against a rebel attack.

At Canton.

Canton, Oct. 31.—The dragon flag was again hoisted here to-day. Business is being resumed.

Report Denied.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 31.—A report from Washington that many of the officers of the Chinese revolutionary army received their military training in American profoundly untrue, said the leaders of the Chinese National Association here to-day. They say the revolutionary activity outside of China has consisted in spreading the revolutionary propaganda and in organizing centres for the collection of funds to finance the rebellion. In proof of the inaccuracy of the report, they pointed to the statement that were taken to exclude Manchus or Tartars from the companies secretly drilling in the United States. This, they say, shows that the report is not of trustworthy origin, as the Chinese in America and the South Pacific Islands are from the Cantonese province and there are no Manchurians in this country.

Two hundred and forty Chinese members of the crew of a passenger steamship plying between this city and Oriental ports voluntarily had their queues shaved off here to-day as an expression of their opposition to the Manchus regime. The hair-cutting took place within a short time after the vessel had docked.

Many Chinese in the local quarter have hidden themselves of their queues during the past three weeks.

The revolutionary spirit here appears to be gaining.

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FINANCIAL NOTES.

Utah Copper Company reports for the quarter ended September 30 last show net profits \$1,150,524; total profits \$1,538,711. The former shows an increase of \$204,488 and the latter \$208,744.

The report of the Goldfield for September shows a tonnage of 26,700 gross was \$676,285, or an average of \$25.28 per ton; net profits were \$44,366, or an average of \$16.60 per ton. Operations at South Lake have been suspended indefinitely owing to the lack of funds with which to prosecute development works.

It is estimated that steel earnings for past quarter will show \$31,000,000. A Kansas City dispatch says cash wheat was slow to-day the mills seem pretty well filled up. No. 3 red, 96, sold yesterday 97 and 98.

Oklahoma crop places the corn yield at 8 bushels against 16 bushels per acre last year.

For the month of October Kansas City receipts were 332,400 cattle, 57,700 calves, 250,000 hogs and 225,800 sheep, total 946,200, the largest on record.

A leading commission has the following cable from Argentina under today's date: "Six days of heavy rains have fallen. There is reason to fear damage—rains too heavy."

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FINANCIAL NEWS

PRICES ADVANCE ON NEW YORK MARKET

Rumors Regarding American Tobacco Are Followed by General Rally

New York, Oct. 31.—Opening prices on the stock exchange were steady, with a few fractional advances from Saturday. The market maintained a steady and firm appearance throughout, with sentiment more cheerful. Towards the close a rumor that the American Tobacco plan would be approved by the court after the modification suggested by the Attorney General started a general rally, and, coupled with heavy covering by the shorts, the market took on a strong, active appearance, final sales for all the active issues showing substantial advances over yesterday's figures.

By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.		High	Low	Mid
Amal. Copper	62 1/2	62	61 1/2	62
Amal. Beet Sugar	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Amal. Car. & Foundry	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Amal. Cotton Oil	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Amal. Sec. Securities	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Amal. Smelting	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Amal. Tel. & Tel.	135 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2
Amal. Tobacco, pref.	97 1/2	97 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
Amal. Tobacco	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Anacanda	231	231	231	231
Atchafalca	106 1/2	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
B. & O.	97 1/2	97 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
C. & O.	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
C. P. R.	236	236	236	236
C. & O.	72 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	108 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Colo. & Southern	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Con. Gas	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2
D. & R. G.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Eric.	223	221	221	221
Do. 1st pref.	52 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Do. 2nd pref.	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
G. N. pref.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
G. N. Ore etc.	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Inter. Harvester	106 1/2	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Inter. Harvester	106 1/2	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
L. & N.	147 1/2	146 1/2	146 1/2	146 1/2
Lehigh Valley	154 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2
M. & E.	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
M. Pacific	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Nat. Ry. of Mex. 2nd pref.	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Nev. Cons.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
N. Y. C.	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
N. & W.	106 1/2	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
N. P.	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Pacific Mail	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Penn.	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
People's Gas	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Reading	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel, pref.	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Rock Island, pref.	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
S. P.	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
St. Paul & Northern Pac.	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Do. pref.	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Tenn. Copper	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
U. P.	164 1/2	162 1/2	162 1/2	162 1/2
U. S. Rubber	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
U. S. Steel	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Do. pref.	153 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2	154 1/2
Utah Copper	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Va. Car. Chem.	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Wabash, pref.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Western Union	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Total sales, 40,000 shares.				

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Victoria, Oct. 31.

Bid	Asked
Alberta Canadian Oil	64 1/2
American Canadian Oil	64 1/2
Canadian Northwest Oil	64 1/2
Can. Pac. Oil	64 1/2
Maricopa Oil	64 1/2
Alberta Coal & Coke	64 1/2
Diamond Vale Coal & Coke	64 1/2
Granby	29 1/2
International Coal & Coke	30 1/2
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	64 1/2
Royal Collieries	64 1/2
Western Coal & Coke	64 1/2
H. C. Copper	37 1/2
N. C. Packers	64 1/2
B. C. Permanent Loan	110 1/2
C. N. P. Fisheries	250 1/2
Dominion Trust Co.	110 1/2
Great West Permanent (A)	110 1/2
W. P. Permanent (B)	110 1/2
Stewart Land	64 1/2
Bitter Creek	64 1/2
Coronation	64 1/2
Glacier Creek	64 1/2
Kootenay	64 1/2
Lasqueti	64 1/2
Lucky Calumet	64 1/2
Lucky Jim Zinc	64 1/2
Nugue Gold	64 1/2
Portland Canal	64 1/2
Portland Wonder	64 1/2
Rambler Cariboo	64 1/2
Red Cliff	64 1/2
Snowstorm	64 1/2
Snowshoe	64 1/2
Stewart M. & D.	64 1/2
S. A. Warrants	64 1/2
Standard Lead	64 1/2

Sales.

1,000 Canadian Northwest Oil	64 1/2
1,000 Canadian Northwest Oil	64 1/2
1,000 Maricopa Oil	64 1/2
500 Red Cliff	64 1/2
5,000 Maricopa Oil	64 1/2
5,000 Maricopa Oil	64 1/2
1,000 Maricopa Oil	64 1/2
1,000 Maricopa Oil	64 1/2
1,000 Portland Canal	64 1/2
5,000 Portland Canal	64 1/2
4,000 Portland Canal	64 1/2
100 Canadian Northwest Oil	64 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	8.87	8.96	8.85
March	8.96	9.06	8.95
May	9.07	9.16	9.07
July	9.21	9.25	9.17
Aug.	9.11	9.12	9.07
Sept.	9.11	9.12	9.07
Oct.	9.11	9.12	9.07
Dec.	9.10	9.20	9.09

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS

Receipts.	To-day.	Last Year.
Wheat	1,090,000	754,000
Corn	518,000	553,000
Shipments.	To-day.	Last Year.
Wheat	355,000	323,000
Corn	342,000	366,000
Clearances.	To-day.	Last Year.
Wheat and flour equals.	222,000	222,000
Corn	2,000	2,000
Oats	None	None

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, Oct. 31.—It was a bear day in the wheat market from the opening to the close. Yesterday's bulge seems to have been overdone, and following the weaker tone of European markets, the bear element was able to make with success. News was all of a bearish character, with receipts at all points showing a big increase. Reports from Kansas said the outlook for the growing crop in the southwest never looked better, with elevators all along the line reported well filled. Opening prices for both December and May at 95 1/2 and 104 1/2 respectively were at the highest of the day, the price steadily declining from that point to the close, which was at the bottom, with December 96 1/2 and May 104 1/2.

The movement in corn and oats was in sympathy with the weakness in wheat, all options closing at about the bottom.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
Dec.	95 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
May	104 1/2	105 1/2	104 1/2
July	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
Corn—			
Dec.	64 1/2	65 1/2	64 1/2
May	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2
July	65 1/2	66 1/2	65 1/2
Oats—			
Dec.	47 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2
May	49 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2
July	46 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2

TORONTO STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Toronto, Oct. 31.	Bid	Ask.
Amal. Asbestos	50 1/2	51 1/2
Do. pref.	50 1/2	51 1/2
B. C. Packers "A"	92 1/2	93 1/2
Do. "B"	94 1/2	95 1/2
Do. common	94 1/2	95 1/2
Bell Telephone	146 1/2	147 1/2
Canada Cement	28 1/2	29 1/2
Do. pref.	89 1/2	90 1/2
Can. Gen. Electric	106 1/2	107 1/2
Consumers Gas	101 1/2	102 1/2
Dom. Tel. Works	58 1/2	59 1/2
Dom. Telegraph	104 1/2	105 1/2
Duluth Superior	50 1/2	51 1/2
Illinois	134 1/2	135 1/2
Lake of Woods	62 1/2	63 1/2
Maple Leaf	62 1/2	63 1/2
Do. pref.	98 1/2	99 1/2
Mex. L. & P.	88 1/2	89 1/2
Montreal Power	112 1/2	113 1/2
N. & W. Co.	153 1/2	154 1/2
N. S. Steel	60 1/2	61 1/2
Pennmans	57 1/2	58 1/2
Do. pref.	57 1/2	58 1/2
Porto Rico Railway	70 1/2	71 1/2
R. & O. Nav. Co.	124 1/2	125 1/2
Tin Japeto Tram	110 1/2	111 1/2
St. L. & C. Nav. Co.	87 1/2	88 1/2
Sao Paulo Tram	173 1/2	174 1/2
Shredded Wheat	134 1/2	135 1/2
Toronto Railway	134 1/2	135 1/2
Winnipeg Railway	217 1/2	218 1/2

VISIBLE SUPPLY

To-day. Last Year.

Wheat	3,218,000	4,123,000
Inc.	905,000 bu.	
Wheat	3,257,000	2,336,000
Dec.	532,000 bu.	
Oats	22,600,000	17,622,000
Inc.	5,000 bu.	

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.—Continued low grading of contract, absence of hedging pressure, some short covering and moderate cash demand are features of this market.

WHEAT RECEIPTS

The Northwest wheat receipts by carloads follow:

To-day.	Last Year.
Minneapolis	497 150
Duluth	308 308
Winnipeg	308 308
Chicago	155 68
Kan. as City	46 88
St. Louis	139 121

EUROPEAN WHEAT MARKETS

Berlin closed 1/4 lower, Budapest 1/2 higher.

EUROPEAN WHEAT SUPPLY

European visible wheat supply shows an increase of 1,112,000 bushels against increase last week of 1,192,000. Last year there was an increase of 9,670,000 bushels.

DECREASING RAILWAY TRAVEL

Auto, Telephone and Electric Combine to Lessen Railway Passengers.

Recently compiled statistics in the United States show that railway traffic in passenger miles a mile have increased 54 per cent. in the past ten years. This compares with an increase of 43 per cent. in ton miles a mile. During the same years 1901-1910 passenger traffic increased about 5 per cent., while freight decreased nearly 3 per cent. It would look from this as if hard times affect freight earnings first, particularly that branch that covers factory output, and that passenger traffic is affected later and only after a considerable interval. One would naturally expect that the two would correspond very closely, since business travel should go with business itself, but apparently the two do not always go together. This disparity between the relative increase of passenger and freight business is further increased when we take into account the factors which in recent years operate adversely to passenger traffic. During the past ten years the long distance telephone has become an important factor in the elimination of travel. Nowadays a long distance telephone talk often closes the business which formerly required a long train journey and a personal interview. Another factor which has seriously affected traffic on railroads is the automobile, and a third factor the extension of street car lines into rural districts.

The value of automobiles and the extent to which they are used can be measured from the following figures: It is estimated that over \$1,000,000,000 has already been spent in the United States for automobiles and accessories. Ten years ago there were only 3,500 cars owned in the United States; now there are 400,000. In

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MR. McBRIDE'S INTEGRITY.

The ministerial press of the province has informed the public that tomorrow Hon. Richard McBride and Hon. W. J. Bowser will leave for Ottawa to urge the claims of the premier and his colleagues upon the federal government for a series of good things they will demand in behalf of the province. It is unfortunate that events have so coincided that a vote of the ratepayers of Victoria is to be taken in the premier's absence upon a matter which involves, not alone the sum of \$80,000 of the ratepayers' money, but the political honor and integrity of the premier. The Times refers to the by-law to be submitted for the purchase of twelve acres of the Songhees Reserve for park purposes. There can be no doubt that, under the terms upon which the Dominion government entered into agreement with the provincial government respecting the disposal of the Songhees Reserve and the extinction of the rights of the Indians in that reserve, forty-three acres of that reserve, together with waterfront and wharfage rights already belong to the city of Victoria. The long-standing difficulty in the way of the acquisition of the Songhees Reserve was removed by the provincial government by the passing of an Order-in-Council ceding forty-three acres to Victoria city, and the federal government accepted the other terms of the province contingent upon this condition being carried out. That the Times is not speaking without authority in this matter is shown by a memorandum of the provincial executive bearing date of May 27 in 1909, which minute we reproduce as follows:

"Approved June 2nd, 1909, to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

"The undersigned has the honor to report for the consideration of the Council.

"That a communication has been received from the Department of Indian Affairs of Canada, requesting the Province of British Columbia to conclude an arrangement providing for the disposition of the Songhees Indian Reserve at Victoria by the Department of Indian Affairs upon the terms and conditions outlined during the discussion of the matter with the Department of Indian Affairs in September, 1906.

"That by Order-in-Council approved January 24th, 1907, an agreement between the corporation of the City of Victoria and the Government of British Columbia was approved in consideration of certain covenants, the Government of British Columbia agreed to grant and surrender to the corporation of the City of Victoria all and every the reversionary interest and all other right, title, interest, claim and demand of the Government of the Province of British Columbia into and out of two parcels of land embraced in the said Songhees Reserve, viz. the twenty-five acres, more or less, lying to the north of the Esquimalt road for park and school purposes only, and eighteen acres more or less lying to the south of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway for terminal railway and wharf purposes, to be used in all of existing as well as other railroad companies seeking access to the City of Victoria.

"And to recommend that with a view of expediting the removal of the Indians from the said reserve, the Government of the Province of British Columbia consents to the disposal of the remainder of the lands embraced in the said reserve by the department of Indian Affairs of Canada upon the condition that the reversionary interest of the Province of British Columbia in the said reserve shall attach to the funds realized from the sale or lease of said lands by the department of Indian Affairs for Canada, after deducting therefrom the amounts necessary for the new reserve to be established and the removal and rehabilitation of the Indians on such new reserve and upon the further conditions that the reversionary interest of the Province of British Columbia in such funds shall be dealt with and settled in respect thereto in the same manner and for the same period of time as if the lands in the said Songhees Reserve had remained unsold, and upon the further condition that the reversionary interests of the Province of British Columbia shall be recognized with respect to such lands as may be purchased for the Songhees Indians out of the proceeds of the sale of the lands embraced in the existing Songhees Reserve, and that a certified copy of this minute if approved be forwarded to the Honorable Frank Oliver, Minister of the Interior.

"Dated the 27th day of May, 1909.

"(Signed) F. J. FULTON,
"Chief Commissioner of Lands.

"Approved this 27th day of May, 1909.

"(Signed) F. CARTER COTTON,
"Presiding Member of the Executive Council."

Here is the record of a straight bargain entered into between the provincial and federal governments, the provisions of which are incorporated in the minutes of the federal executive dealing with this matter in final settlement of rights between the Songhees

Indians and the governments of both the province and the Dominion.

It is impossible to stifle curiosity as to why these cast iron terms of settlement are abandoned by the premier and a fraction of less than one-third of this land is now offered to the city for the sum of \$80,000. The Times has asked the mayor and the city council to explain the method of reasoning by which the by-law asking for the expenditure of this large sum is considered necessary. In his letter to the Times last week the mayor covertly expressed a hope that the government might reconsider its attitude toward the city on this question, and, if we rightly infer the meaning of the mayor's letter, it implies that the city is not being fairly dealt with by the government. In fewer words, it leaves us all susceptible to the uncomfortable reflection that the premier—who is lauded by his paid organs as a man of his word—has violated a secret compact, one upon the representations upon which he secured a settlement with the federal government.

The premier certainly made a strong plea for the election of his candidates in 1907 by prompting Mayor Morley to issue an interview reaffirming that this land had been ceded to the city. Two years later he reaffirms the same assertion in a memorandum to the Dominion Government over the signature of the provincial secretary and under the seal of the governor. Are we to infer that both the city and the federal authorities have been basely deceived? The approval of the by-law will amount to the relinquishment of any claim the city may have on this land and take the matter out of the court. Are we to conclude that, because a would-be political boss in Victoria has been confirmed in authority to act as salesman for the lands and other concessions on this reserve, the city council has been induced to enter into a scheme to defraud the city out of \$80,000 and an equity in the remaining thirty-one acres of this land?

We do not suggest that the commission on the sale of this land to the city would be shared with anyone but those who handle Premier McBride's corruption funds, but we do say, and with some emphasis, that it is not the duty of the mayor nor that of the council to inveigle the ratepayers into the payment of a considerable sum for lands in which they already have an undoubted equity nor to aid and abet the use of taxpayers' money for McBride campaign purposes. These civic fathers are elected to protect the ratepayers of the city, not to assist in the process of robbery and spoliation.

Unless the premier and the city council can show the electors very clearly the process of reasoning by which they have arrived at some justification for asking the ratepayers to vote this money, we think there can be but one conclusion respecting the whole proposed transaction and every one connected with it. What that conclusion should be we are quite prepared to leave every elector to arrive at for himself, complacent in the confidence that his powers of deduction will not lead him far astray.

The by-law is not to be voted on until Wednesday, November 8, according to a reading notice published in the Colonist, although the official notice calling the electors together to vote on Thursday, November 2, is still standing. To this pretty pass have our civic affairs been conducted in the capital of the province.

LOYALTY AND HOGS.

Immediately after the formation of the packers' merger in Canada the price of live hogs went down to \$5.75 uniformly throughout Ontario. This is the lowest price paid for live hogs in several years, and already the farmers and drovers say it spells disaster to the hog-raising industry. The creameries throughout Ontario have succeeded because they have always been able to realize the cost of operation out of the by-products in whey and milk fed to their hogs, and this has enabled them to carry on the business of cheese-making. The slump in hog prices is compelling them to revise their plans for next year. The Toronto Tory organs for two months before the elections frightened the farmers with bogey threats that if reciprocity carried it would ruin the live stock industry throughout Ontario. Carloads of American sheep, cattle and hogs were rushed into the Toronto stockyards, photographed and slaughtered at slaughter prices, the photographs and prices being published in every nook and corner of Ontario to show the farmer how his stock market would be ruined under reciprocity. He believed it, and now he cannot ship his live stock out because of the duty and he is compelled to take the price offered, but all packers' products have materially advanced. Selah.

FLAG-WAVERS, ATTENTION!

Premier Borden since the formation of his government has made no pronouncement upon the navy question. But his devoted followers in this province have. They have declared that the new government would go in for a real navy—something worthy of the great Empire of which we form a part. One of the leading members of Mr.

Borden's cabinet has spoken also on the navy question. The Postmaster-General—a strong Nationalist by the way—has officially announced the policy of the government on the navy issue. Mr. Pelletier declares that there shall be no navy until the people of Canada have declared through a plebiscite whether they are in favor of such an institution. And Mr. Armand Lavergne, who is not a member of parliament but who is a strong Nationalist and supporter of the Borden government, intimates that Mr. Borden may give them something more satisfactory than a plebiscite, which must mean an assurance that there shall be no navy at all. Coupled with this enigmatical observation, Monsieur Lavergne asserts that the question of equality between the two races which predominate in Canada must be finally determined. In what way the matter of the naval defence of Canada would affect the status of French-Canadians is something beyond the comprehension of individuals gifted with merely ordinary common sense. We cannot explain, but perhaps the very local people in Victoria and other parts of Canada who shouted themselves hoarse for Borden and British connection can. In any event they have this fact to face: The Nationalists of Quebec dominate the Borden government and dictate its policy. Instead of making up its mind to do what is necessary for the naval defence of Canada, as a strong government acting under expert advice would do, the Borden administration is going to consult the people, the great majority of whom cannot be well-informed on the subject. If a majority vote against the creation of a navy, Canada must look to Great Britain or the Monroe Doctrine as enforced by the United States for protection. A fine, dignified position for a rich and growing nation to take. Our navy leagues and kindred institutions ought to inaugurate another campaign of flag-waving unless the object they desired has already been accomplished.

If the inhabitants of Mars turn their telescopes toward Victoria they will discover that we also have a system of canals here.

Will some representative of the "Inter-Continental" kindly answer the question: Why is it that while the price of wheat is higher in Minneapolis than in Winnipeg, the price of flour is higher in Winnipeg and Victoria than in Minneapolis?

The Montreal Star advises Premier Borden to purchase three Dreadnoughts and present them, in the name of Canada, to the British Admiralty. If this advice should be taken would one or two of these Dreadnoughts be stationed on the Pacific Coast. And would they be used to protect the coast fisheries? And would Esquimalt become a naval base? And would the Canadian shipbuilding industry be revived in the Maritime provinces? These are Borden's problems, not ours. Perhaps Mr. Barnard is interested.

Commenting on the census returns for the city of Edmonton, the Bulletin says things apropos of the situation in Victoria: "There is talk of having a police census of the city, in the belief that the official census was not as thorough as practicable. It would perhaps be better to endure the disappointment we have than risk the possibility of worse. We had one police census a few years ago, and the results were such that the newspapers were asked to not publish the figures. But it was known abroad that the census was taken, and the ridicule Edmonton received for not daring to make the result known did it more damage than the frank publication of the figures could possibly have done. If another census were taken now the figures would have to be published. And supposing the figures showed only a few hundred more people than the number given out by the census department; would this census—whose accuracy could not be disputed—make matters better or worse? There is nothing in the showing made by the city of which anyone need be ashamed though he may be somewhat disappointed."

NEW YORK SURGEON DEAD.

New York, Oct. 31.—Dr. John Burton Palmer, eye, ear, throat and nose specialist, is dead at his home here of heart disease. He was widely known as a surgeon and author of medical works.



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—The Daughters of Scotland will hold a Halloween party and dance at the Broad Street hall to-night. Miss Angus' orchestra will provide the music and a good time is assured all who attend.

—The annual meeting of the Daughters of Pity will be held in the board of trade building, Bastion street, on Monday, November 6th, at 2:30 o'clock. All members are requested to attend.

—At the next meeting of the Y. M. C. A. swimming club it will be necessary to elect a president to succeed Warren A. Long, who has resigned on taking office in the B. C. A. S. A.

—George Carter, who has just completed a 20,000-mile tour of the world, will lecture on his travels in the Belmont avenue Methodist Sunday school, under the auspices of the Try Co. about the middle of November.

—Building permits were issued Saturday by the building inspector to W. H. Smith for a dwelling to be erected on Hamley street to cost \$2500; to Leonard Stedman, additions to dwelling on Shelbourne street, to cost \$700.

—Yesterday forenoon a very interesting Thanksgiving service was held at First Presbyterian church, when the pastor was assisted by the Rev. Joseph McCoy, M. A., of Knox church, who preached a very cheery, optimistic sermon from Psalm 146: "Praise Ye the Lord."

—F. J. Jones and George Moore, of Victoria, have been appointed commissioners for taking affidavits under the Provincial Elections Act. The appointments will expire December 31st. F. G. Fulton, Strawberry Vale, has been similarly appointed in the Saanich electoral district.

—The nurses of the Victoria Nurses' Club will give a lecture at the drawing room in the Alexandra Club to-morrow evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. Miss Ard McKenzie will be the guest of honor and will deliver the lecture. All nurses inside and outside are asked to attend.

—Following the application of the Oak Bay municipality for another sub-freight station, to be located on the eastern boundary of the city, representatives of the city met members of the municipal council on Saturday afternoon, and viewed a number of suitable sites. The result of their visit will be reported to the next meeting of the two councils.

—Another big class of baby Moose will be initiated at the Moose home, 1230 Government street, to-morrow night. The initiation ceremonies will be followed by an entertainment, in charge of Will Lochrane, the celebrated Scotch monologist. The meeting will be called to order at 8 p. m. All members are requested to present themselves at the clubrooms at 7:30 p. m. to allow the committees sufficient time to seat them.

FERRY SERVICE

Victoria-Vancouver.
Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily at 2:15 p. m., except Sunday, arriving at Vancouver at 4:45 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Victoria at 11:45 p. m. daily, arriving Vancouver at 7 a. m.
Prince George leaves Victoria on Thursdays at 10 a. m., and Prince Rupert on Mondays at 10 a. m.
Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving Victoria at 2:30 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving Victoria at 6 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle.
Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 12 p. m., arriving Seattle at 11 p. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 9 a. m., arriving at Victoria 1:15 p. m. On the lay-over day the steamer Inokubo, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

Prince George leaves Victoria on Wednesdays at 10 a. m., and the Prince Rupert on Sundays at 10 a. m. Returning, leave Seattle Wednesdays and Sundays at midnight.

Vancouver-Seattle.
Princess Charlotte leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11 p. m., arriving Seattle at 8 a. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 11:30 p. m., arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

—Buck Wood?—Use a Derston's buck saw; it's easy. H. A. Brown & Co.'s, 1294 Douglas street.

—The current issue of the Provincial Gazette contains the incorporation of Pither & Leiser, Limited, under the Companies' Act, with a capital of \$2,000,000, in 200,000 preference shares and 1,500,000 ordinary shares.

—William Sampson, the Cornish evangelist, had a most encouraging start at the Strangers' Rest, in Government street, on Sunday, where he preached each night this week at eight o'clock. On Sunday morning next at 11 o'clock he will preach in the Centennial Methodist church.

—T. W. Sheffield, world's champion and holder of the much coveted King Edward VII. Challenge Cup in 1905, will give an address on "Art of Life Saving," at the meeting being held by the newly formed B. C. branch of the Royal Life Saving Society this evening at the Balmoral hotel. Mr. Sheffield is a prominent member of the executive council of the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association, and is the founder of several swimming clubs, and two life saving centers of the R. L. S. S. Men and women interested in swimming and life saving are requested to attend the lecture, after which the new organization will discuss the rules governing the pioneer branch in British Columbia and the work of the society here.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 31—5 a. m.—The barometer remains very high over Northern British Columbia and the prairie provinces, and with the exception of showers on the Lower Mainland the weather remains fair with moderate winds on the Coast. A moderate cold wave prevails in Manitoba.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair; not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair; not much change in temperature.

Reports at 5 a. m.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, 47; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.38; temperature, 48; minimum, 48; wind, calm; weather, rain.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 22; minimum, 22; wind, 10 miles E.; weather, part cloudy.
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.33; temperature, 14; minimum, 14; wind, calm; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 50; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.09; temperature, 16; minimum, 14; wind, 12 miles N.; weather, part cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.33; temperature, 14; minimum, 14; wind, 5 miles E.; weather, part cloudy.

Temperature.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Sunday:

Victoria Daily Weather.
Highest 51
Lowest 42
Average 46
Bright sunshine, 2 hours 24 minutes.
General state of weather, fair.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday:

Temperature.
Highest 50
Lowest 42
Average 46
Rain, trace.
Bright sunshine, 2 hours 59 minutes.
General state of weather, cloudy.

NEW SECRETARY OF Y. M. C. A. ARRIVES

E. M. Thomasson Will Meet Board To-morrow—Long Service in Movement

The new general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., E. M. Thomasson, of Lethbridge, arrived here on Sunday, and will meet the board to-morrow at noon to discuss a number of detail matters with them. He has to wind up his connection with the association at Lethbridge, and will return to take up his permanent residence here about November 15.

Mr. Thomasson has been for the last eighteen months in the Alberta city, where he organized the association, and in addition to the work he did for the association, there he took a prominent part in a number of improvements of a civic character, including the adoption of the commission form of government in the city.

Prior to his settlement in Lethbridge he occupied the responsible position of western travelling secretary, the post now held by C. R. Sayer, who is on the coast at the present time in connection with the opening of the building at New Westminster, where he did much useful service for a year and a half, coming to Winnipeg from Spokane, where he was business manager of the association for a few months.

His other experience in Canada was for two years as a member of the Ontario and Quebec provincial committee, during which he put over a dozen associations on their feet financially. Within a comparatively recent period he has raised over \$300,000 for



E. M. THOMASSON

New General Secretary, Victoria Y. M. C. A.

association work in the Dominion, so that, handicapped as he has been more than once by physical disabilities, his record is a splendid one.

Mr. Thomasson, who is a Chicago man, but is now naturalized as a Canadian, after his college days began in his native state of Illinois as an associate man. Here he spent three and a half years, then became assistant state secretary in Kansas for about a year, moving to the position of financial secretary of the Kentucky state association before being appointed to Toronto, since when he has held appointments exclusively in Canada.

Mr. Thomasson is a man of pleasing personality, and he will appeal to the citizens as one capable of taking in hand the work of the association in this city at a crucial time. In the course of a conversation with a Times representative yesterday Mr. Thomasson said he had not yet formed any definite scheme of work, but he recognized the wide field before him, and was confident that in Victoria he could do good work for the association. In new buildings, and a growing membership, and supported by an excellent staff of branch secretaries there was a magnificent opportunity which he hoped to take advantage of as soon as possible.

He will return to Lethbridge on Thursday, taking up his duties here in two weeks time.

CITY GAVE THANKS BENEATH BLUE SKY

VICTORIA THE IDEAL CENTRE OF HOLIDAY

Visitors Thronged the Streets and Made Gay the Provincial Capital Yesterday

Yesterday was Thanksgiving Day, the day on which every person was supposed to give thanks for the blessings, either real or disguised, that have come to her or him during the past twelve months.

Throughout the Dominion it was a public holiday and the public generally held it as one. Yet there were those who were compelled to labor because of the necessities of civilization, to supply the needs of their fellow beings and to render them comfort and amusement on the holiday.

That blessings never come singly, and that every little hardship has its meaning, might well be proved by the harvest reaped yesterday by the places of amusement and entertainment in every city of Canada. Those whose labors consisted in them to fall in the observance of the day had the satisfaction to know that it was more interesting, more beautiful and more happy to give than to receive. The remark applies especially to street car conductors, restaurant and hotel help and theatrical performers, who bore the brunt of yesterday's attack by holiday makers.

Victoria gave thanks in part by entertaining several thousand visitors from Vancouver and Seattle. The Dominion Thanksgiving Day has always had an attraction for the American living by the border, and the American yesterday took advantage of the entertainment offered in Victoria, and then returned home to prepare for his own turkey day next month.

From dawn till midnight Victoria provided out-door entertainment in two kinds of football, fishing, outing, picnicking and in other forms. After midnight the theatres and the moving picture houses received thanksgivings to full capacity.

Like no other city of the Northwest, Victoria lends itself to thanksgiving enjoyment because of the excellence of its climate, and yesterday was no exception to the sunshine record reported in the weather bureau of the city. A fine night followed a fine day and while there was yet a light burning the thanksgivings gave thanks, and some, upon whom blessings may have fallen in luxurious abundance through the year were so choked up with thanks that they were unable to do the thing properly in the allotted time and carried their thanksgiving over until early morn. Then they carried it home.

Significant of Victoria's prosperity, for which she gave thanks yesterday, is the strength of her sons, who show to-day an unbeaten front as the result of their athletic labors of yesterday. Significant again of Victoria's popularity and her salubrious climate is the fact that four athletic teams visited the capital. Of these three returned with dents in their reputations and the fourth found satisfaction in the knowledge of a drawn contest.

Since last Thanksgiving Day, despite the census, Victoria's population has grown and her growth has absorbed many from the tight little isle across the Atlantic. Thanksgiving Day was new to them, yet abundantly did they give thanks for the advantages they have found at hand in the new land of promise.

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HALLOWEEN CONCERT.

Choir of First Presbyterian Church Scores Great Success With Fine Performance.

The twenty-fourth annual concert of the First Presbyterian church choir, held last evening in the lecture room of the church under the direction of J. G. Brown, who has personally conducted the choir since its organization, was a memorable event. It was the last concert to be given by the choir in that building. Mayor Hall presided. The building was packed to the doors, and many were turned away. The programme was commenced promptly at 8 o'clock by the singing of "Blue Bonnets," a Scottish part song, by the choir, which was exceedingly well rendered. Mr. Houghton then gave a selection of Scottish airs on the violin, at the conclusion of which he received a tremendous encore. Mr. Petrie, another recent addition to Victoria musical circles, sang "Annie Laurie" with much acceptance. Mr. D. A. Fraser, well-known as a reader of humorous stories, gave "Fire Pit Nine." Keeping his audience in fits of laughter throughout, as also did Mr. J. Dohie, the local comedian. In his rendition of Harry Lauder's "Beautiful Sunday." In complete contrast with

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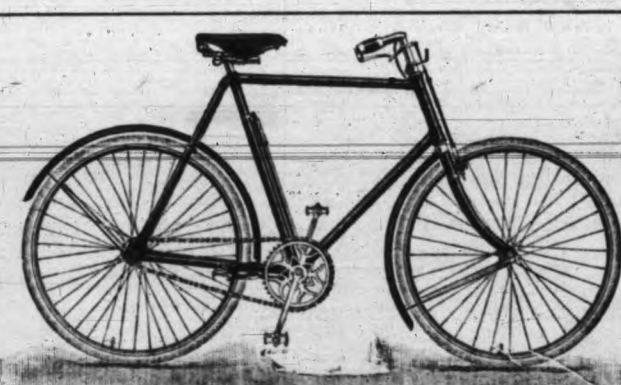
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the previous humorous selections Miss Young, who followed, sang that beautiful ballad, "My Ain Folk." Miss Young made her first appearance on the concert platform last night and her fine contralto was much enjoyed. She was accorded a hearty encore. Master Dohie, a young Scotch singer, sang "Shoulder to Shoulder" in good style, responding to an encore with "It's a Braw-bright muneelicht nicht the night."

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AMERICAN TENNIS CHAMPION IN CITY

William A. Larned Arrived Here Sunday Afternoon—Davis Cup Team Leaves

William A. Larned, the seven-time lawn tennis champion of America, who will captain the American team in its matches at Christchurch, New Zealand, in December for the world's championship, arrived in Victoria on Sunday afternoon. He was met at the boat by Byrnie Schwengers, the Canadian title holder, and other members of the Victoria Tennis Club, and accorded a hearty reception.

Mr. Larned and Mr. Schwengers spent Thanksgiving Day in the Saanich district with their guns. The visitor enjoyed the outing to the full and demonstrated clearly that his athletic proclivities are not restricted to the one sport. The hunters returned with a fair bag of pheasants and grouse.

As far as can be learned, Beals Wright, the third member of the American-Davis Cup team, has not yet reached Victoria. He was not in the city yesterday and if he was this morning, himself will play in a single against either Schwengers or McLoughlin. In the event of Wright having arrived last evening, which is extremely unlikely, he and McLoughlin are slated to face Larned and Schwengers in a double.

To-morrow the three greatest exponents of the game in America leave on the Zealandia for New Zealand. At the very latest Wright should reach Victoria this afternoon.

Maurice McLoughlin, the Californian who will represent America in the Davis cup matches, was seen in action at the Victoria Tennis Club's courts on Saturday afternoon. Byrnie Schwengers, the Canadian champion, was his opponent in a single, and although the two did not let themselves out, the exhibition was all that could be desired.

A crowd more distinctive for its interest and appreciation than for its size, witnessed the match. McLoughlin was plainly out of practice after his absence of several weeks from the courts, but, despite that and the fact that he at no time extended himself he made a good impression. His service and back court work were at times a revelation to the local enthusiasts.

CUMBERLAND FELL BEFORE VICTORIA

LARGE CROWD SAW "PRO" FOOTBALL USHERED IN

Locals Too Fast and Clever for Men From North—Miller a Star

Before about two thousand enthusiastic spectators professional football in Victoria was ushered in yesterday afternoon and the occasion was suitably marked by a decisive win for the Victorians from Cumberland by a 2-0 score. The result is a fair criterion of the pace for the first few moments they soon fell back and after that there was no doubt as to the outcome of the struggle. The locals were too fast and clever for their opponents.

It must not be inferred that the defeat from Cumberland did not play a good game; they did that and more, but they suffered in comparison with a superior team. Their forwards were tricky and aggressive and the halves very reliable feeders. The only noticeable weakness was in the fullback division; both Hinds and McLean seemed to be off color in every way and were particularly weak in clearing.

Taking everything into consideration the game was the prettiest seen in the city for some time and was greatly enjoyed by the large crowd which filled the stands and overflowed to other points of vantage around the Royal Athletic park. Thrilling plays were numerous and those responsible, whether visitors or homesters, were always rewarded with prolonged rounds of applause.

Alderman Alex. Peden did honor to the occasion by kicking off the ball and it being Cumberland's kick, drove the sphere into the vicinity of Victoria's goal.

After a speedy return it was passed out to Cumberland's left wing and carried down the field by Adams and Boothman. The former centred nicely and, before they realized what was happening, the locals were in danger. Tommy Miller cleared and no damage was done, but the Victorians had learned a lesson, which was very useful.

The left was evidently the dangerous wing of Cumberland's forward line and for the remainder of the game was closely watched. For a time the northerners kept the play in the locals' territory and, although they did not score, they came so close to doing so a couple of times as to bring beads of perspiration to the faces of the anxious fans. Once the ball got past Dougan and lodged in the

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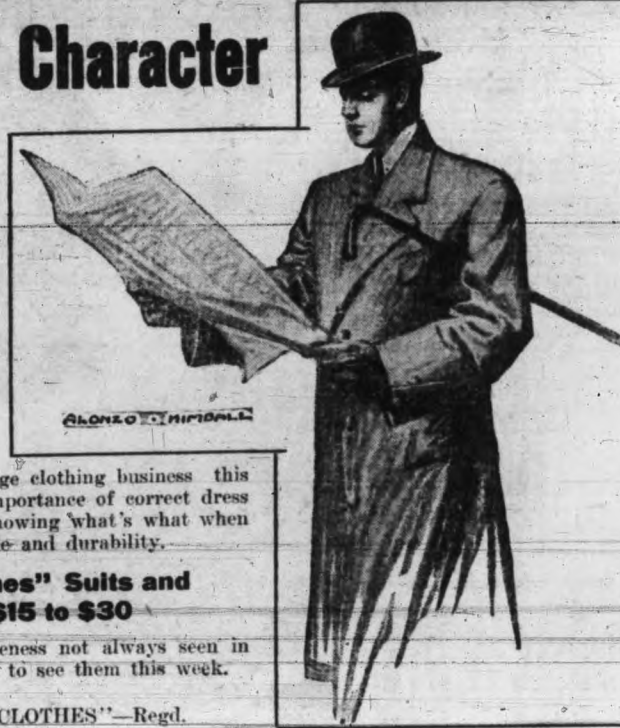
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more attention than that of any other individual on the field.

Pierson lost an easy opportunity to score about twenty minutes from the commencement of play, when, with an open goal, all he had to do was to twist the ball between the posts from a cross kick by Wilkie; by some means or other he lifted it over the bar. Muir also lost a chance by kicking high not long after this. The initial period ended without any score.

In the second half Victoria got right down to work and, although the men from Cumberland broke away at intervals, they were kept within their defence lines the most of the time. From the kick-off Wilkie and Thomas took the ball down the field with one of their irresistible rushes and the former centred to Pierson, who beat Clarke

with Thomas and Willie formed Victoria's forward line, were all good, but the latter two did not play together as much as they might have. They were not to blame for that, however, as Harley was out of place, his real position being at left half. Owing to the absence of Pickering it was necessary to bring "Scot" up and substitute Sammy Duffy in the half-back division. Duffy was a misfit, his playing by no means coming up to the standard set by his team mates. Ferris was undoubtedly the star of the halves.

Sid Thompson, the referee, was very strict and impartial and gave satisfaction to both teams. Giddy Goward, of Victoria, and N. W. Brown, of Cumberland, acted as linesmen.

The teams were:
Cumberland—Goal, Clarke; backs, M. Hinds (left), and D. McLean (right);

Crawford (right), Miller (left); halves, Leslie (left), Duffy (centre), Ferris (right); forwards, Wilkie (centre), Thomas (inside), Pierson (outside), Muir (inside left), and Harley (outside).

B. C. TEAM DEFEATED IN SECOND MATCH

California's Passing Rallies Too Much for Provincial Rugger—Stanford To-morrow

Berkeley, Cal., Oct. 31.—The All-Star Rugby team from British Columbia went down to defeat Saturday for the second time before the University of California varsity fifteen, the score being 24 to 8.

The score, however, is a poor indication of the game. In the first half the northerners hemmed the collegians in their own side of the field almost the entire time and dribbled tackle across the line three times. Each time a California back dropped upon it, saving the score. But the Britishers promptly brought the play back from the succeeding drop out.

California played the fiercest fighting game of the season, only superb defensive work stopping the visitors from rolling up a good score.

In the second half California came back strong and the passing rallies they inaugurated repeatedly carried the ball over the score line. The northern men fought for every inch, but tired rapidly, while the collegians seemed to grow fresher with every play.

California scored only five points in the first half, carrying the ball over with a spectacular passing bout within ten minutes of the time the game started. From then until half time they were busy protecting their own goal.

The B. C. team plays Stanford University to-morrow.

McGRATH SMASHED RECORDS.

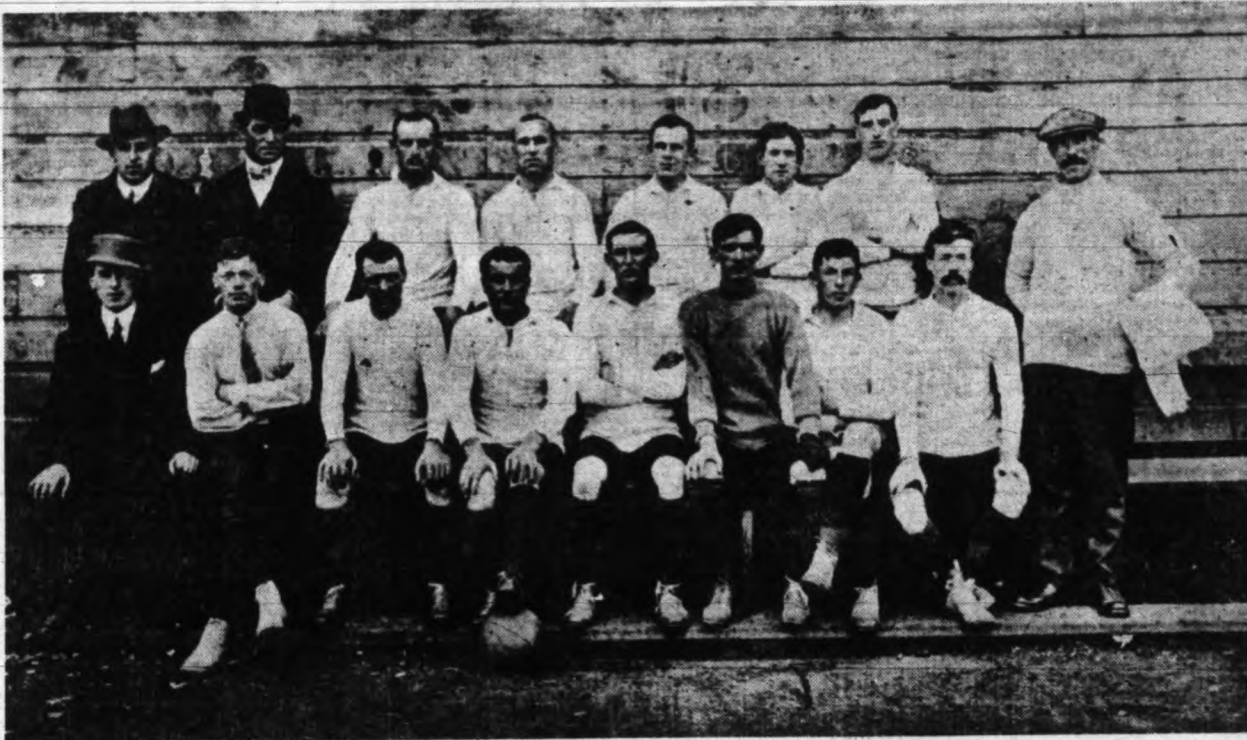
Three 16-pound Hammer 187 Feet 4 Inches, Beating Flanagan's Mark.

New York, Oct. 30.—Matt McGrath, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, threw the 16-pound hammer 187 feet 4 inches at Celtic park, yesterday, thus breaking the world's record, held by John Flanagan, by three feet.

EASTERN FOOTBALL.

The following are the results of Saturday's football matches in the East: Toronto Varsity, 38; McGill, 22; Ottawa College, 18; Queen's, 18; Hamilton, 9; Ottawa, 22; Montreal, 47; Argos, 14; Penn-das, 0; T. A. A. C., 14; St. Michael's, 22; Alerts, 52.

(Additional Sport on page 17.)



VICTORIA "PRO" SOCCER TEAM

Players from left to right are: Upper row—Crawford, Duffy, Ferris, Muir, Harley. Lower row—Thomas, Miller, Wilkie, Dougan, Leslie, Pierson. Trainer George Gedrim is standing on the right, and Vice-President Macauley and President Thompson sitting on the left of the lower row.

asis. He had an able exponent in Schwengers, whose admirable work was a source of great pleasure to his fellow-club members. Undoubtedly the Victorians' trip east has improved his game in many ways. The score, 6-3, 1-6, 6-3 in the American's favor, is, of course, hardly a fair indication of the respective abilities displayed by the two men.

After the single Capt. Foulkes and Byrnie Schwengers played McLoughlin and Conrad Schwengers in a double, which was also productive of tennis of a high class.

VICTORIA WON.

Local Bowlers Scraped Off Ahead by Narrow Margin in Match With Seattle.

The Victoria Moose indoor bowling club covered itself with glory in Seattle on Sunday evening, winning its match from the Seattle Moose by the narrow margin of six points. The local boys entered upon their trip with some trepidation, as the team they were going up against has a dangerous reputation. Needless to say, they were more than delighted with the result. The total scores were: Victoria, 1,230; Seattle, 2,124. Harry Aaronson, of the local quintette, made high individual score, rolling up 233 in one game.

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net but Referee Thompson's whistle had blown just previously for an off-side.

This incident practically signaled the end of Cumberland's chance to score. The local boys got into their stride and quickly put a different complexion on the condition of affairs. They outplayed their opponents in every department of the game and, do what they might, the miners were unable to stem the tide of defeat. So persistent were the onslaughts of the Victorians on the Cumberland defence that it could be seen it was only a matter of time before their efforts would prove successful. The work of Wilkie and Thomas on the left wing was one of the sensations of the game. In speed they were unrivalled and in combination and placing were every bit as good if not better than Adams and Boothman.

Perhaps the greatest factor in the splendid victory was Victoria's stone-wall defence. While Crawford was as usual always on the job when required, so unrelenting and tireless were the efforts of Tommy Miller, his partner on the left, that he was given practically nothing to do. Miller came to Victoria heralded as one of the foremost backs in the country and he more than lived up to his reputation. He cleared from any position at all; his kicking was clean cut and sure, and altogether his playing was so brilliant as to attract

with a shot which he touched but could not hold.

With one goal against them and seemingly no chance of piercing Victoria's defence, Cumberland was a broken reed, while the locals gained strength with every succeeding mile. Still the visitors fought back doggedly and persistently, endeavoring by every possible means to relieve the pressure, which was bearing harder and harder upon them. They defeated their purpose, though, when they began introducing rough tactics, for by repeatedly fouling they made it easy for the locals to keep the ball in the near neighborhood of their goal.

It was not until towards the end of the game that the second goal was scored. Then Thomas, receiving the ball from Scot Harley, dribbled past Hinds and beat Clarke with a quick flip into the corner of the net.

All through the game Cumberland had really only one good chance to score; in the second half Goodwin had a shot at an open goal but drove the ball wild.

Credit must be given Clarke for his brilliant saving on more than one occasion. Whether he is the equal of Dougan or not could not be judged, as the latter had little work to do, although what he did do could not be improved upon.

Pierson, Muir and Scot Harley, who

halves, Cairns (left), Herd (centre), and Porter (right); forwards, Adams (outside left), Boothman (inside), Carney (centre), Goodwin (inside right), and Williams (outside).

Victoria—Goal, Dave Dougan; backs,

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EASY VICTORY FOR J. B. A. A. RUGBYITES

Argos Seniors Beaten by Seventeen Points to Three—Visitors Collapse in Second

The James Bay A. A. Rugby team won easily from the Vancouver Argos' fifteen at Oak Bay yesterday afternoon. Up to a certain point the visitors played very well together, but then went to pieces absolutely, and the whole of the last twenty minutes of the match was confined to the Argos' territory. The score might easily have been larger. Gaillher not having the slightest difficulty with the ball, running over several times. As rain fell most of

the time it was difficult to grip the leather easily, and a number of passes were accordingly dropped. A. D. S. Scott made an excellent referee.

In the first half Carl Kenning opened the scoring for the Argos, and thus gained their only try. The scorer broke the rule as to touching the ball again when preparing for the place kick, and the referee would not permit the kick to be taken. Running down to the other end Gaillher opened the scoring for the home fifteen, and Day converted. Scott ran in with another try, but Houston failed to annex the extra points. Shires distinguished himself with a fine run before the teams crossed over, and with a comfortable lead of five points the Bays had matters their own way in the second part. Gaillher running over with the next three tries. The James Bays did not have much serious work to do, and although they failed with each place kick, the final score about represents the position of the teams after the visitors became demoralized. Result: James Bays, 1 goal 4 tries (17 points); Argos, 1 try (3 points).

The teams follow:
J. B. A. A.—Full back, Macdonald; three-quarters, Gaillher, Scott, Ogden and Ross; halves, Shires and Morton; forwards, Houston, Arbuckle, Day, Ambrose, New-marsh, McInnes, Curry and Milligan.
Argos—Full back, Beath; three-quarters, Elkins, Thompson, McKay, Ellis; halves, Kenning and Smith; forwards, Walsh, Alexander, Moffatt, Bouspore, Manley, Auld, Kennedy and La Mot.

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Soda Creek and will cost about \$100,000. The material for the construction of the craft is to be sent inland immediately. The new steamer will be a sternwheeler and will be fitted with electric lights and every comfort and modern equipment for the convenience and safety of the passengers. The new vessel will be the first to connect the Edmonton end of the Grand Trunk Pacific with the Prince Rupert end. Passengers will be able to make the trip from the east through to Prince Rupert by the G. T. P. R. transferring to the river steamer at the end of the rail just past Edmonton and proceeding to Tete Jaune Cache, where the train can again be taken and the traveller continue on to Rupert. Much new country will be tapped when the vessel begins operating. The Fraser River district will be given a good service and it will mean that many settlers will flock into that part. The Allan River Scotia arrived at Quebec on Sunday afternoon from Glasgow and at Montreal yesterday morning.



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Bellerophon, Getting Away for Liverpool To-morrow—Cyclops Due to Arrive Here

Laden with a cargo of over 11,000 tons, valued at approximately a million and a half dollars, the big Blue Funnel liner Bellerophon (Capt. Collister) will leave the outer docks about noon to-morrow for Liverpool via Far Eastern ports. She has an immense list of freight and there is not a spare inch of room in her capacious holds. So much freight offered for shipment at Sound ports that a large amount had to be left for the next vessel of the fleet.

Aboard the Holt liner is the largest shipment of salmon to leave the Sound this year. Nearly 150,000 cases were lowered into her holds at Victoria, Vancouver, Seattle and Tacoma, the greater part of which was packed in Alaska. Besides this the steamship has about 5,000 barrels of whale oil loaded at this port, as well as large consignments of grain and flour for Chile, points in South America, machinery and general merchandise. There have also been loaded in large quantities.

No word has yet been received by wireless from the Cyclops, of the Holt fleet, which is due to reach this port to-morrow from the Old Country. She is about five days late in reaching William Head, having been delayed in leaving Yokohama. The Cyclops has a mammoth cargo for Victoria and Sound ports, of which she will discharge about two thousand tons here. Her silk cargo is worth half a million dollars.

Last night the operator at Estevan Shosen Katsusha liner Chicago Maru, now on her way to this port from the Orient, reported her position at 12.30 a. m. as being latitude 50.30 north, longitude 134.44 west. The local agents expect that the vessel will arrive here about Saturday. She is bringing about two hundred tons of cargo for this port and a number of Chinese as stowage.

**MANY PEOPLE SAIL
ON PRINCE RUPERT**

G. T. P. Steamer Clears for North—Splendid Weather Still Prevails at Rupert

Outward bound for Prince Rupert, the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince Rupert (Capt. Barney Johnson) left port yesterday morning carrying a large number of passengers and a full cargo of general freight. She started on her new schedule this trip and will be the only vessel operating in the Victoria, Vancouver and Prince Rupert service during the winter months. The Rupert arrived here on Sunday morning from the north after one of the best trips she has had so far this year. Except for light fogs early in the mornings the weather was perfect and the trip could be wished for. Officers on the Rupert state that the progressive residents of the G. T. P. terminal in the north are about to launch a new movement in attempting to make Prince Rupert a "tourist resort." When the steamer left that the sun was shining and overcasts had to be left at home owing to the warmth. Scarcely a drop of rain has fallen at Prince Rupert since last February and the people are becoming quite enthused over the climatic conditions of the new town.

The vessel brought south the crews of the river steamers, which have been operating on the Skeena for the past season. When the Rupert was passing through Johnson Strait about 4.30 o'clock on Saturday morning, the officers and some of the passengers were awakened to see the new Gilbert comet, which shone, they declare, with unusual brilliancy. Not only the comet, but the tail of its entire length was clearly outlined against the cloudless morning sky.

Among those who left on the Rupert yesterday morning were the following: Mrs. A. G. Davies, John Piercey and J. A. Miller. From Seattle the steamer had about twenty passengers for the north and when she cleared from Vancouver last night her accommodation was well taken. About fifty tons of freight was loaded at this port. The Prince George (Capt. Saunders) of the G. T. P. fleet, is expected in port to-morrow morning completing her last trip from the north this year.

SLACK WATER—ACTIVE PASS.

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**STORMY PASSAGE
ACROSS PACIFIC**

SADO MARU BATTERED BY SOUTHEAST GALES

Cargo Valued at Nearly Two Million Dollars—Stokers on Minnesota Strike

Completing one of the stormiest trips that has been experienced by any of the trans-Pacific liners during the past six months, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Sado Maru (Capt. Richards) arrived at the outer docks early on Sunday evening from Oriental ports. The steamship was scheduled to arrive here last Wednesday, but was delayed three days in leaving Yokohama and lost the other as a result of the heavy weather encountered.

When three days out from the Japanese port the Maru ran into a fierce southeast gale, which blew at the rate of 60 miles an hour. The sea was running tremendously high and at times it became necessary to reduce the speed of the ship. The combers broke over the bow of the vessel and flooded her decks. After several days of severe weather the storm showed signs of abating. There was a short interval of one day when everything was peaceful and still and the sun shone. Then the storm king paid the steamship another visit and accompanied her until the coast of Vancouver island was sighted. During the greater part of the passage the winds were blowing from the southeast.

Over a million dollars' worth of silk, the largest shipment to be brought to the Sound for many months, was aboard the Maru. There were 1,353 bales of raw silk, 232 bales of waste silk and 20 bales of silk goods, valued at considerably over the million mark. Her whole cargo of over 4,000 tons was worth close to \$2,000,000, and she discharged here before proceeding to the Sound 1,000 tons of general merchandise.

Quite a number of passengers were brought across the Pacific on the Sado Maru. Among those in the saloon were: A. Herald, a Vancouver merchant, who has been on a visit to the Orient; Mr. and Mrs. Mills, missionaries; Mrs. G. H. Wright, wife of an army officer in Manila; and H. N. Robinson, an English doctor, who is on a tour of the world. Besides the first cabin passengers there were for Victoria 25 Japanese as stowage.

Word was received on the arrival of the Maru that 65 Chinese stokers of the liner Minnesota at Yokohama went on strike agitating against three engineers. The officers of the steamer tried to pacify them, but the effort ended unsuccessfully as the strikers took a stubborn attitude insisting that they would not return to their work unless the engineers were discharged. They also declared that one of their comrades died through harsh treatment by one of the engineers.

Finally the captain of the Minnesota asked the Yokohama district court to arrest the strikers on a charge of having deserted from the ship. The judicial authorities made an examination of the trouble. Public prosecutor concerned in the affair replied to the captain that the Chinamen should be arrested as requested and at the same time he would make an examination of the accusation of the alleged maltreatment towards a Chinese stoker by an engineer. In consequence of the reply of the public prosecutor, the captain withdrew his petition for the arrest. The departure of the steamer was thus postponed for some days.

The cargo discharged here consisted of the following: Tea, 2,885 chests; lily bulbs, 2,862 cases; sugar, 1,150 sacks; rice, 1,560 bags; soy, 558 tubs; miso, 475 tubs; canned goods, 240 cases; provisions, 202 packages; tins, 150 cases; sake, 135 tubs; porcelain, 100 cases; general merchandise, 507 packages.

OLIVEBANK CHARTERED.
To Load Grain on Sound For United Kingdom—Gets High Rate.

Kerr, Gifford & Company have chartered the British barque, Olivebank to load a cargo of grain at Tacoma for the United Kingdom. The vessel, which recently arrived on the Sound from Santa Rosalia and is now at Seattle repairing and overhauling. The Olivebank, sometime before leaving Santa Rosalia for the Sound was badly damaged by fire. She came to the Sound for repairs and found no trouble in chartering a cargo to carry wheat to Europe. She was evidently not under charter when she reached the Sound as the rate announced is higher than was paid sailing vessels earlier in the season. She is to receive 215, 6d. for Puget Sound loading. An option of loading at Portland at 21s. 3d. was also made, but owing to the amount of wheat on hand here and the fact that the Olivebank is on the Sound, she will undoubtedly load at the former rate.

The French barque, Le Pif, now on the Sound is also under charter to Kerr, Gifford & Co. to load for the United Kingdom. The Frenchman is now discharging general cargo at Vancouver and will proceed to the Sound shortly. She was fixed at the beginning of the season and is receiving a rate of 27s. 6d. the former union rate.

Among other grain charters to load at Tacoma this season are the French barque General Faidherb, the French barque Gulf Stream and the French barque Cornhill. The British steamer Fitzpatrick, en route from Norfolk with government coal, has also been chartered to load wheat for Europe. She was taken by Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

In the dense fog on the Sound Saturday the steamer Klesap went aground at Port Orchard point. The vessel was floated in half an hour and proceeded on her voyage undamaged.

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**LAST NOME VESSELS
BOUND FOR SEATTLE**

Victoria and Senator Both on Way—Record Passenger Lists—Much Gold Aboard

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 31.—Bringing the last of the summer's golden harvest, garnered by the mining companies of the far north and over 1,000 passengers, the steamships Victoria, the Alaska Steamship Company, and the Senator, of the Pacific Coast Company, are bound from Nome for Seattle.

The last of the Nome fleet to leave the Bering Sea port, the steamer Victoria, Captain John O'Brien, sailed from Nome yesterday noon, with six hundred passengers and a big treasure cargo, while the steamer Senator, Captain John Seely, sailed for Seattle at 8 o'clock last Saturday evening with all cabins taken.

The steamer Yucatan, which has also been in the Nome service under charter to the Western Alaska S.S. Co. and has put in for Salmon, sailed from Ketchikan for Seattle yesterday. The steamer will call at Bellingham and Anacortes en route here.

**DENSE FOGS DELAY
STEAMER 48 HOURS**

Princess May Held Up at Wrangel and Seymour Narrows—Record Trip South

So dense was the fog encountered by the C. P. R. steamer Princess May, which arrived in port early this morning from Skagway and Prince Rupert, when on two different occasions it became necessary for her to lie at anchor for twenty-four hours. As a result of the heavy mists the steamer was delayed two days in reaching this port, being scheduled to arrive here last Sunday.

On her northbound trip the May experienced light fogs in the Gulf and when off Cape Mudge the mist became more dense. When near Seymour Narrows the officers were unable to see the bow of the vessel from the pilot house and the vessel dropped anchor there for twenty-four hours. On her way south when about to negotiate Wrangel Narrows, the May encountered another fog bank and it again became necessary for her to lie at anchor for twenty-four hours.

Officers aboard the Princess May state that on the southbound trip from Prince Rupert the steamer broke all records made by C. P. R. steamers. From the time of casting off at the dock at Rupert until the slow bell was sounded on approaching Vancouver harbor the May was but 32 hours and 15 minutes. She averaged nearly fifteen knots for the trip, which is the best that has been made by any steamers with the exception of the G. T. P. Prince boats.

Nearly two hundred passengers were brought south by the May, over one hundred in the saloon. The Princess has completed her summer schedule and when she leaves on Friday night she will inaugurate her winter time table. Hereafter the steamer will make but two trips a month leaving every second Friday.

WIRELESS REPORTS

October 30, 8 a. m.
Point Grey—Cloudy; wind N. W.; thick seaward; 30.20; 48; sea smooth. Cape Lazo—Overcast; calm; 30.22; 44; sea smooth.
Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind N. E.; 7 miles; 30.27; 50; sea moderate. In steamer Buckman at 11 p. m., a steamer at 7:35 a. m., steamer Hilonian at 4:25 a. m.; out, steamer, probably M. E. Hunt at 1:35 a. m.
Pachena—Cloudy; wind S. E.; 30.03; 48; sea moderate.
Estevan—Overcast; calm; 29.92; 46; sea moderate. Spoke Quadra at Hesquilt at 7 p. m., northbound, Chicago Maru, at 12:30 a. m., lat. 50.30 north, long. 151.44 west.
Triangle—Foggy; rain; wind S. W.; 55 miles; 29.54; 40; dense seaward.
Ikeda—Misty; wind west; 30.12; 50; sea moderate.
Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; 29.98; 46; sea moderate. H. City of Seattle, at 10:30 p. m., out again at 11:30 p. m.
Dead Tree Point—Misty; calm; sea smooth.
Noon.
Point Grey—Clear; calm; 30.27; 54; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Overcast; wind west;

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Another attempt to counteract the effect passengers of the rolling and pitching of vessels at sea is announced. W. G. Boonbaier of Carnarvon, Cape Colony, having invented a sleeping bunk which, he claims, will remain in a horizontal position, whatever the angle of the vessel. The new bunks are being fitted in the new Cape liner Guildford Castle, and will be thoroughly tested on the vessel's maiden voyage. Mr. Boonbaier proposes to construct an entire cabin on the same principle, and claims that it will thus be possible to play billiards at sea.

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Shipping Intelligence
October 29.
Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Steamers President, San Francisco; Cosco, Tacoma; Jeanie, Southwestern Alaska; Maverick, Tacoma; Santa Ana, South-eastern Alaska; Hornet, San Francisco; Columbian, Salina Cruz; Bellerophon, Tacoma; Sado Maru, Yokohama; Humboldt, Skagway; Washenaw, San Francisco. Sailed: Steamers M. F. Plant, San Francisco; Cosco, Port Blakeley; Maverick, San Francisco; schooner Mabel Gale, Port Blakeley.
Shanghai—Arrived previously: Panama Maru, Tacoma; Siberia, San Francisco; Tuscarora, San Francisco. Los Angeles, Cal.—Arrived: George W. Elder, Portland; Beaver, Portland; Glendale, Coquille river. Sailed: Matilda, San Francisco and Tacoma; Alevea, Columbia river.
San Francisco—Arrived: Steamers Strathaird, Seattle; Nehalem, Astoria; Nana Smith, Cape Bay; Northland, Astoria. Sailed: Steamers Catalina, Astoria; Raymond, South Bend; Santa Barbara, Willapa; Elizabeth, Bandon.

NEW LIGHT WORKING.
Aid to Navigation on Songhee Rock Will Be Burning To-night.

All mariners plying in and out of this port are requested to note that a red light has been placed on Songhee Rock, just opposite the Indian reserve. To-night will be the first time that the light has been in operation according to word given out by the marine and fisheries department to-day. This light will be of the greatest assistance to the captains who have to back their steamers out at nights. Some time vessels have in the past backed too far down, unable to see rocks, and bumped on them.

MARINE NOTES

The Norwegian steamer Mathilda is reported leaving Manzanillo, for Tacoma on October 22.
The British steamer Needles, which will later come to the Sound for cargo, is reported steaming from Singapore for Redondo, October 10.

The Norwegian steamer August at Tacoma loading lumber cargo, is expected to clear for Montevideo and Buenos Ayres to-morrow.

The barquentine Benicia is reported arriving at Santa Rosalia October 19 with lumber cargo from Gray's Harbor.

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SERIOUS CHARGE

AGAINST A WOMAN

Police Magistrate Occupied To-day With Multifarious Cases

As a result of a family disturbance at the home of James Lawson, a colored man, Chatham street, on Sunday afternoon, he is now in the Jubilee hospital, where surgeons are probing for a bullet believed to be lodged under his left shoulder blade, his wife, a colored woman, is in the custody of the police on a charge of wounding with a pistol. This morning she appeared in court in answer to the charge but in view of the gravity of the case a remand was given the prosecution until Friday.

A disturbance at the home resulted in the neighbors summoning the police. Police Sergeant Gladstone, when notified, went to the house and seeing the injured husband's condition, ordered him to be taken at once to the hospital. He was shot in the back, the bullet entering beneath the shoulder. The woman was arrested and a charge of wounding with a pistol was laid against her. The police are endeavoring to have the case remanded until the man's prospects of recovery are known.

This afternoon the police magistrate is hearing a charge of pointing a gun, offered against William Edmonds, who is held to have pointed the gun at C. J. Johns on Saturday afternoon at Michigan and Menzies street. Edmonds is a second charge booked against Edmonds of carrying a pistol. He was allowed bail in \$500, and is defended by J. A. Alkman, while H. A. Maclean, K.C., appears for the prosecution.

E. F. Headley, also charged with passing worthless checks last week, appeared again this morning charged with obtaining \$3.70 from T. N. Hibben & Co. by means of a forged cheque drawn on the Northern Bank. The accused said he had no recollection of the occurrence. He was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, to commence at the expiration of his other sentence, making 15 months in all.

The young Seattle man named Bernard, who was remanded on Saturday on a charge of forgery, after having been found guilty, that the attorney-general might be asked to allow a suspended sentence, was presented again this morning and sentenced to serve six months' imprisonment. The attorney-general declined to interfere. Bernard forged two cheques, one of which he passed to the proprietress of the Waverley rooms but shortly afterwards made good when she demanded the money back. The second cheque was passed in a tailoring house and money obtained. The accused pleaded poverty and a young wife and child to care for were his reasons. He was given a good character by his former employers and the money obtained by the cheque has been repaid.

ELECTION PROTEST.

Winnipeg, Oct. 31.—A protest against the return of Dr. J. P. Molloy, the Liberal candidate as member for the constituency of Provencher in the recent election, has been entered. The recount held a short time ago gave a majority to Dr. Molloy.

BOX CARS BURNED.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 31.—Fire, believed to be of incendiary origin, destroyed a string of forty empty box cars on the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation Company's line one mile north of St. Johns. The loss was about \$20,000.

LOCAL NEWS

—A cooking demonstration was given before the members of the Royal Oak Women's Institute in their hall on Saturday, by Miss Livingstone.

—The Thanksgiving dance was held last evening at the Strathcona hotel, Shawnigan Lake. Miss Thain's orchestra furnished music during the evening. Louis Lucas and John Sweeney were in charge of the dance.

—The contract for the laying of the cement foundation of the new St. John's church at the corner of Quadra and Mason streets has been awarded to the contracting firm of G. Moffatt. Mr. Ridgway Wilson is architect.

—A Thanksgiving dinner was held at the Metropolitan Methodist church last evening. Invitations had been extended to the members of the Ladies' Guild and their husbands and there was a good attendance.

—The examining board of the medical council are at the provincial buildings to-day in charge of the semi-annual examinations of candidates for the registration as medical practitioners of British Columbia. Fifty-six candidates are taking the examinations.

—The Victoria Harbor Railway Co. is the only applicant applying for a charter since the last session of the railway legislation which seems to have terminated the practice of chartering. This company places a preliminary deposit of \$15,000 up to show its good intent.

—At the city hall on Saturday morning Miss Akenhead was seated with a cabinet of silverware on the occasion of her marriage to W. Ptolemy, of this city. The wedding takes place to-morrow week. The city assessor, W. W. Northcott, made the presentation on behalf of the staff.

—A prize is to be given at the next meeting of the Victoria Cymrodorion Society for the best essay on "Good Citizenship." The essay must be not more than 1,000 or less than 500 words and should be turned in to the president of the society, Mrs. Jenkins, 1319 Fernwood road, not later than November 4th.

—The first rehearsal of "The Truth," by the Victoria A. D. C., will be held this evening at the home of Miss Agnes Mackay, 1305 Stanley avenue, when there will be an initial reading of the play. The "Walls of Jericho" will be put into rehearsal as soon as "The Truth" is well under way.

—The ball committee of the Woman's Auxiliary Society, Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, have completed arrangements for the annual ball to be given in aid of their working fund, on Friday evening at the Alexandra Club. Miss Thain's orchestra of ten pieces will furnish the music and Miss Jenner will have charge of the supper room.

—At the meeting of the city council to-night the resolution of Alderman Moresby to instruct the city purchasing agent to call for tenders for the new hall as soon as specifications have been prepared, will come up again for discussion, this being necessary before the case can go before the courts for a ruling on the exercise of the mayor's veto on this matter. The resolution, likely to provoke another warm debate.

—No one is looking forward with more pleasure to to-morrow's entertainment at the Aged Woman's Home than are the inmates, and the management takes this means to invite all of the friends of the aged ladies to be present. It is patronized by the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Patterson, the Premier and Mrs. McBride, and Mayor and Mrs. Morley. There is no admission and the proceeds will be devoted towards providing fuel for the winter.

—A meeting of the newly formed branch of the Royal Humane Society will be held this evening, when a number of matters will come up for discussion. It is probable the members will be invited to witness a demonstration of life saving in the Y. M. C. A. tank at an early date by members of that club, and proposals will be submitted to widen the scope of the society to make it more provincial than it is at present, by the addition of more members from the Lower Mainland.

—Tickets were distributed to the members of the St. George's Society at the meeting on Friday evening, by the committee who have the active management of the St. George's masquerade ball, which will be held in A. O. U. W. hall on the 8th of November. The prizes which will be competed for at the dance will be on exhibition this week, and the music committee has arranged for Miss Thain's full orchestra with a splendid program of music. The supper will be looked after by the ladies of the order and every means will be taken to make it comfortable for those attending.

—R. G. Pemberton, the well-known Vancouver coach, who prepared a number of candidates for the examinations of the B. C. Land Surveyors' Corporation, which were recently held in this city, had remarkable results with his students. He passed eight out of nine candidates for the preliminary. For the final examination, only seven passed, and of these five were his pupils, including the first in order of merit. Of the candidates prepared by him thus seventy per cent. were successful, whereas of the others, only twenty per cent. were successful. He is now arranging for a class for the coming winter, and is visiting Victoria this week to make the necessary arrangements and may be seen at the Empress hotel, or at 347 Pender street, Vancouver.

THE LATE J. PULITZER.

New York, Oct. 31.—Until the arrival from Charleston, S. C., to-day of the members of the family of Joseph A. C. Hamilton, the Bell Development Company, and E. G. Todd were assessed \$29 each for automobile speed.

CHOLERA IN INDIA.

Bombay, Oct. 31.—There has been a sudden and violent outbreak of cholera among the members of the Royal Scots regiment at Benares. During the 24 hours ending this morning, there were 18 cases, with five deaths.

LINEMAN ELECTROCUTED.

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 31.—While working on the high tension wires of the Washington Water Works Company yesterday, Claude Grampton, aged 26, was electrocuted within a live wire. Twenty-three hundred volts passed through the man's body and left him hanging limp from the strap which the linemen use.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Helmcken are bound for California.

Mrs. W. G. McLaren, 443 Niagara street, will not receive to-morrow.

Mr. Ovington Watt was the guest of his parents for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. W. G. McLaren is out of town and she will not receive this week Wednesday.

Lieut. W. C. Alcock, R. N., is a visitor at the Empress hotel from London, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stewart are at home again after an extended European trip.

Miss G. K. Leary is at home after a six months trip through Great Britain and the continent.

Charles Devonshire has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charter in Dupcan for the past week-end.

Mrs. Pegram has been in Victoria visiting her many friends during the Thanksgiving holidays.

H. T. Devine, real estate agent of Vancouver, was in the city on Sunday from the Terminal City.

Miss Wakeman came over from Vancouver on Saturday to spend the week-end at the Alexandra Club.

Miss Juniper is a guest at the Oaks. She has just recently come over from her home in Norwich, England.

W. N. Rolfe, the mining recorder at Nicola, spent the week-end in the city, being a guest at the Dominion hotel.

Miss Olive Valentine and Miss Ethel Crumm came over from Port Townsend for the holiday to visit friends in this city.

Mrs. Butler has returned from her trip to California where she was called by the illness of her mother, Mrs. E. W. Wilson.

Gordon Spring, the popular champion lacrosse player, accompanied by J. Odjn, were in the city for the week-end from New Westminster.

News has been received from Toronto of the illness of Sir Donald Mann, who is suffering from an attack of indigestion. His physicians report him as resting comfortably.

Miss Florence Emery and Miss Mattie Lincoln are in Victoria en route to their home in Vancouver. They have been spending the week-end in Seattle as guests of Miss Emery's parents.

The patrons of the sale and tea to be held at the Old Ladies' Home to-morrow afternoon and evening are: Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Patterson, the Premier and Mrs. McBride and Mayor and Mrs. Morley.

Mrs. C. M. Hutchinson, daughter of E. J. Hutchinson, of St. Joseph's hospital, is now convalescing, and expects to be able to leave the hospital in about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmichael and young daughter of the Mount Edwards left Saturday for England. Mrs. Carmichael will be away about six months, but Mr. Carmichael will return after a three months' business trip.

The Victoria Dancing Club held its first dance of the season at the Alexandra ballroom last Friday evening. Several hundred guests spent a delightful evening dance. The next dance will be held on the 23rd of the coming month.

The marriage of Mr. O. Vaughan, of Summerland, B. C., and formerly of this city, to Miss Edith M. Peters, of Maldstone, England, was solemnized at Vancouver on the 24th inst., Rev. Dr. Fraser performing the ceremony. After spending a few days here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker,

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terms with the prime minister. They are to be joined at Ottawa by Hon. W. R. Ross, minister of lands. The premier says there are many provincial matters that he will take up with the government while in the east. He expects to leave Ottawa for the return journey to British Columbia on November 8 to get ready for the session of the provincial legislature to be held here in January.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

"I see Rose has her company manner on."

"Yes; that's the only thing I don't like about Rose. She will put on that terribly sweet manner when she goes out anywhere. I do hate affectation."

"So do I. I like anyone who is always the same—always natural. It is so silly to pretend to be nicer than you are just because there are a lot of people around."

I wonder if the two girls who criticized Rose so glibly would also deprecate anyone because she put on better clothes for an evening gathering, than she would wear about the house in the morning or down town shopping.

I can't really believe that they would.

And yet wouldn't that be just as logical as criticizing Rose because she has a pretty company manner, as well as pretty company clothes?

The reason I speak of this is because I have so often heard, not only Rose, but many other girls like her, disparaged for putting themselves out in order to be especially gracious and entertaining and cordial in company.

The critics call this affected. They sneer with an evident sense of superiority at the "company manner" and pride themselves on the fact that they never put themselves out to please anyone but are always just the same.

Now I can't see any reason for self-gratification in the fact that one never put oneself out to dress prettily for special occasions.

I can't see that a company manner is necessarily any more an affectation than a company gown.

Of course, if Rose were disagreeable and ungacious at home and with her intimates, and then put on an extremely gracious manner in company, there could be reason to complain. Just as it would not be desirable to go around looking like a slattern all day and then dress gorgeously for company in the evening.

But Rose's home manners are just as pleasant, if not so dressy as her company manners.

And anyway I think one's quarrel in such a case ought to be with the disagreeable manner or the slatternliness, not with the gracious manner or the pretty clothes.

Why, I wonder, by the way, do we always say "put on" of anything nice? Why don't we say that people "put on" their disagreeable ways and then lapse back into their natural amiable selves instead of always the other way around?

To return to the main road, I think anyone who calls a pretty company manner affected is herself affecting an overdone dislike of affectation.

Myself I can't see anything affected or to be criticized in anyone who wears the simple and plain but attractive clothes of pleasant family manners in the family and dresses up in the special gown of company manners for special occasions.

Can you?

Ruth Cameron

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

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Reforms involving uniform dress for women, the abolition of men dress-makers and exploiters of fashion were recommended by Mrs. Catherine Carter Warren, wife of Prof. Howard Warren of Princeton, and president of the New Jersey Federation of Women's Clubs, in an address before the Michigan federation at Detroit.

"Women's clubs of New Jersey seek a saner fashion in dress, the abolition of false hair and puffs (it was some moments before she could continue on account of applause), a curtailment in the length of the hatpin, and, above all, a saner Christmas. We want a uniform plan of dress, and we strenuously object to the sweeping changes of fashion that say you must wear one kind of a dress one year and another the next. Last season's dress is no good this season, and we want reforms that enable a woman to wear the same dress next summer that she did this summer, and not always be a constant drain on her husband's finances. Women should by this time be in a state of revolution against the outrageous fashions dictated to them. The monstrous hats that are worn should be ruled out of style for good."

"We clubwomen do not object to domestic feathers in our hats but when it comes to killing birds to supply feathers we want it stopped. Ostrich feathers are all right, but it is a disgrace to wear those large willow plumes. They are made in New York sweatshops by women and small children, who work ten and twelve hours a day for a small pittance."

"Women should be educated in the art of spending their husband's money wisely. Why not now establish schools to teach women how to manage their household in an economical manner?"

False hair and puffs were also objected strongly to by Mrs. Warren, on the ground that these articles were exploited by men fashion dictators for the sole purpose of making women spend money where there is no need for it.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Francis Walter Hall, late of the City of Victoria, Physician and Surgeon, deceased, who died on the 23rd day of October, 1911, and whose will with a Codicil thereto was proved in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, on the 27th day of October, 1911, by Henry Charles Hall, the Executor, and Annie Maria Johnston, the Executrix therein named, are hereby required to send proof in writing of their claims or demands duly verified by statutory Declaration, to us the undersigned, Solicitors for the said Henry Charles Hall and Annie Maria Johnston, on or before the 27th day of November, 1911, at the undermentioned address, after which date the said Henry Charles Hall and Annie Maria Johnston will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Francis Walter Hall, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall have had notice. And the said Henry Charles Hall and Annie Maria Johnston will not be liable for the assets of the said Francis Walter Hall, deceased, or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the above-named deceased, Francis Walter Hall, are hereby notified to pay to the undersigned Solicitors for the said Henry Charles Hall and Annie Maria Johnston, the amount of their indebtedness forthwith.

DATED at Victoria, B. C., this 27th day of October, 1911.
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Although perhaps it is not generally known, it is nevertheless an offence punishable by imprisonment with or without hard labor to enlist at the present time in the armies of either His Majesty the King of Italy or His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, and such warning is given to British subjects resident in British Columbia by proclamation printed in the current issues of the government Gazette, and made by His Majesty King George V.

The proclamation makes it illegal and punishable to take part in the war to quit or go on board any ship with a view to quitting His Majesty's dominions with intent to accept service with either power. It is an offence to induce any person to do so, and for a master mariner to take any person on board whose intention he knows to be to enlist in the Turkish army. It is also illegal to build any ship or take part in furnishing munitions of war to the belligerent powers.

The proclamation is made under authority of an act of parliament passed during the 33rd and 34th year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and in respect to the present war dates from October 3rd, 1911.

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HARRY RICKARDS DEAD.

Well Known Theatrical Manager Passes Away in Australia.

New York, Oct. 31.—The death in Australia of Harry Rickards, the international theatrical manager, became known here through cable advices received by his New York associates.

Mr. Rickards first went to Australia as a comedian of the old English type. Through his keen business sense he rose from manager to proprietor, until at his death he was the leading magnate of the variety amusement field of Australia and New Zealand, with music halls in all the principal cities. He was about 55 years old.

The annual tea and entertainment will be given at the Aged Women's home on Wednesday afternoon and evening. No admission charge.

There are 1,173,317 more females than males in England and Wales, according to the last census returns.

SEVENTEEN NEW CARDINALS NAMED

Pope Plus to Hold Fifth Consistory on 27th of November

Rome, Oct. 31.—The Pope will create a large number of cardinals at the consistory to be held November 27. The Most Reverend John M. Farley, archbishop of New York, and the Most Reverend William M. O'Connell, archbishop of Boston, are among those who will receive the red hat. Monsignor Diomede Falconi, apostolic delegate at Washington also will be elevated, according to an announcement just made.

The full list of prelates whose elevation to the cardinalate was officially announced is: Mgr. S. M. Cos Y. Machos, archbishop of Valladolid; Mgr. Diomede Falconi, apostolic delegate at Washington; Mgr. A. Vico, papal nuncio at Madrid; Mgr. J. Granito Di Belmonte Fignatelli, ex-papal nuncio at Vienna; The Most Rev. John Farley, archbishop of New York; The Most Rev. Francis Bourne, archbishop of Westminster; The Most Rev. Francis Bauer, archbishop of Olmutz; Mgr. La Arnette, archbishop of Paris; The Most Rev. William H. O'Connell, archbishop of Boston; Mgr. F. V. Dubillard, archbishop of Chambéry; The Most Rev. Franz X. Nagel, archbishop of Vienna; Mgr. De Cabrera, bishop of Montpellier (France); Mgr. Bisetti, papal major domo; Mgr. Lugari, assessor of the holy office; Mgr. Pompili, secretary of the congregation council; Mgr. Billio, of the Jesuit Order; Mgr. Van Roesum, Redemptorist.

The last consistory was held in December, 1907. Four cardinals being appointed at that time. Since then many vacancies have occurred in the sacred college by death, and now there are twenty-two seats of the total seventy unfilled. Since 1907 the intention to hold a consistory has been announced from time to time, and on each occasion the consistory has been postponed for various causes.

The proposed consistory in November will be the fifth held by Pope Plus X. On the death of Leo XIII. there were sixty-four cardinals. During the last eight years Plus X. has created seventeen new cardinals, of whom two who took part in the election of Cardinal Sordani as pope also have died.

The first consistory of Plus X. was held November 9, 1903. Its chief purpose was the raising to the cardinalate of Mgr. Merry del Val, in order that the papal secretary of state could bear the full title of his position. The second consistory was held on December 11, 1905; the third on April 15, 1907, and the fourth and latest on December 16 in the same year.

EGG LAYING COMPETITION.

Aepyornis Surpass Ostrich in Size of Ovarian Product.

The largest egg in the world has recently been exhibited in the Museum of Natural History of New York and some other cities. It is the egg of a gigantic extinct bird called Aepyornis, which formerly lived in considerable numbers on the island of Madagascar. This was a huge wingless creature, the largest and most formidable bird of prey that ever trod the earth. In life it has been variously estimated to have stood from seven to twelve feet in height, possessing massive and powerful limbs. This great bird surpassed the ostrich, the king of modern birds, both in size, herculean strength and build. The Aepyornis egg is six times larger than that of the ostrich, having a capacity of 150 hen eggs. Here are some of the astounding dimensions of the big egg: The shell is about one-eighth of an inch thick, the lengthwise circumference is two feet eight inches, and two feet two inches around the middle. Though termed a fossil egg, it is not petrified or turned to hard stone as in the case of dinosaur bones.

It is in a surprisingly perfect condition, unbroken, and has a yellow color, although finely pitted in places. The contents have not been removed, as they have turned to fine dust, which comes out when handled through a small natural perforation on one side. The Aepyornis that laid this colossal egg has not been seen in life of the present generation of the inhabitants of Madagascar. In former times, several centuries ago, they were quite abundant. Several incomplete fossil remains of the bird have been discovered, but no complete skeleton has yet been found. These show the bird was not only of massive proportions, but short winged, and has been classed as a distinct relative of the Moas and the Apteryx, fossil birds of New Zealand. The natives of Madagascar have for many years used the great eggshells for various domestic purposes, for carrying water and as jars for storing and holding food. Only two or three of these huge eggs have been obtained by Europeans and these were usually found in the sand beds of torrid, low present egg is said to be one of the largest and most perfect ever brought into civilization.

MUSHROOM POWER.

An illustration of the remarkable lifting power of mushrooms has occurred at Bristol, England.

An asphalt pavement in the St. Jude's district recently began to bulge upwards, and soon afterwards the heavy mass split in several places. The cause of the upheaval was found to be growing mushrooms, of which some two pounds were gathered from a small space beneath the pavement.

"Noah's wife," wrote a boy in a recent examination in England, "was called Joan of Arc."

"Water," wrote another, "is composed of two gases, oxygen and cambridge."

"Lava," contributed a third youth, "is what the barber puts on your face."

"Blizzard," insisted the fourth, "is inside a fowl."

POWERS MAY DISCUSS TURKO-ITALIAN WAR

Conference Likely to Be Held at Paris or Vienna—Naval Demonstration

Vienna, Oct. 31.—Austrian officialdom is intensely excited to-day over dispatches that Italy is planning a naval demonstration in Turkish waters in retaliation for the resistance the Turks and Arabs are putting up to the Italian occupation of Tripoli. Austria has from the first insisted that Italy must confine its activities to Turkish African possessions. If its warnings are disregarded, it is stated with great emphasis here that forcible means will be resorted to enforce Austrian wishes.

It is believed that Italy is having far more trouble in Tripoli than it expected. The explanation that King Victor's troops have evacuated their outposts back of the city of Tripoli merely because it was found impossible to bury the decaying bodies of 2,000 Arabs killed in the battle October 26, is not believed. It is thought here that the troops found it impossible to maintain their post.

Officials think there will be a wave of horror throughout Italy when it is known what the country's losses have been.

If it is true, as reported, that Enver Bey, the hero of Turkish revolution, has reached Tripoli and taken charge of the Turkish and Arab forces still more serious fighting is looked for there in the immediate future.

A meeting of representatives of the European powers, it is believed, will be called shortly to consider what action shall be taken in regard to the Italian-Turkish war. It is not yet decided whether the conference will be held in Paris or Vienna.

May Hold Demonstrations.

Nice, Oct. 31.—The anti-militarists are planning a series of violent demonstrations throughout Italy, according to news from across the frontier. The radicals, and even some moderate charge that Premier Giolitti's decision to delay assembling parliament until after peace has been arranged with Turkey, and all controversy concerning the Italian seizure of Tripoli has blown over, amounts virtually to the establishment of a temporary despotism. They propose to resent it by every means in their power.

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mentous decision yet given in this country in favor of woman suffrage. That must be admitted as well by the opponents as by the advocates of votes for women. So long as women could vote only in four Rocky Mountain States, or comparatively small populations, the movement to enlarge the political rights of their sex might be dismissed as almost negligible. Women could vote in Idaho, to be sure, but Idaho had only 325,000 inhabitants—not enough to make one large city. Wyoming also allows women the ballot, but that state is still more inconceivable, its population in 1910 being but 154,000. Of the two other suffrage states of long standing, Utah numbered but 378,000 people, while Colorado's population was 299,000. It was evidently a much more important event when the state of Washington adopted suffrage, for that commonwealth had 1,411,000 residents in 1910. And now comes California with a population of 2,370,000, to join the ranks of the suffrage states. This means nearly doubling at one stroke the number of women in the United States with the legal right to vote.—New York Evening Post.

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Simmonds, Oct. 27.

District Order (Leave)—The following
extract from D. O. No. 41, 1911, is pub-
lished for general information: Lieut.
F. A. Robertson, Fifth Regiment, C. G.
A., is granted leave of absence from the
4th instant to 10th proximo, both dates
inclusive.

Rifles, etc.—All rifles and accoutre-
ments must be returned to their re-
spective armories on or before Novem-
ber 9 next.

Officers' Meeting—The regular
monthly meeting of the officers' mess
will be held in the drill hall Thursday,
November 9, at 8.30 p.m. in mufti.
Sergeants' Meeting—The first regular
monthly meeting of the sergeants' mess
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of the great city on the "Bosphorus,"
supplied the background for a comedy
in which the play is lost sight of in the
music and the humor, but there is
enough of plot to supply a motive for
the harmony.

In no sense is this comedy a single
person's part, in which the whole bur-
den falls on one performer, and al-
though Miss Grace Von Studdiford
again greatly pleased her Victoria ad-
mirers she would be the last to claim
all the honors for herself. She sang
the selection "My Wedding Day," very
effectively, and was also heard to ad-
vantage in a duet with Edward Mora,
"When His Eyes Look Into Mine."
Mr. Mora, as the hero, Prince Cassim,
reminded one much of a corresponding
character in the "Merry Widow" and
acted and sang well, the audience be-
ing particularly pleased with his song,
"I Have Found Them All." The selec-
tion which undoubtedly took best, and
which had to be twice encored, was
that of Miss Laura Burt, and John J.
McCowan. "There is something about
you which appeals to me," the acting
of both greatly assisting in the suc-
cess of the performance. Mr. McCowan
sustained his three parts in turn clever-
ly, and made the most of the amuse-
ment of the piece. Miss Burt was a
very merry widow, with an affection
for men generally.

The other principal humorous role
fell into the capable hands of F. Kolb,
as Mahoub, merely the husband, whose
song, "Y. M. D." (Yes My Dear) was
much applauded. Miss Florence Ro-
berts, as the Christian, was also a lead-
ing figure, her song, "Life Oriental,"
supplying a capital introduction to the
second part. The weakly fastidious
marriage broker, Baskir, was sustained
by Hudson-Frederick, and the support
of the members of the company supported
the principals in putting on an excellent
performance.

Dancers, cooks, wedding guests, and
soldiers pass and re-pass during the
performance, and the eye catches
something of the Oriental luxuriance
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parlors in the basement of the Brown
block, Broad street. They have named
their quarters the King George Baths,
and all those who feel inclined to visit
this high class shop should look for the
revolving barber pole which will be in-
stalled in a few days.

In fitting up their new parlors, the
owners had but one view in mind, and
that was to have everything sanitary.
Each barber has a separate washstand
and the linen closets are a feature.
Knowing how many people like to see
the open fire, especially in the cold
weather, the two business men have
installed a grate, which is one of the
most pleasing innovations in the new
quarters. The manicure parlors, with-
out which no barber shop is complete,
are neatly arranged and in keeping
with the remainder of the place.

One thing Van and Ratze have
specialized, and that is the baths. Five
large enamel baths have been installed
and each room has all the necessary
requirements. The heating system is the
very latest, and is so arranged that it
is impossible for fire to originate from
the furnace. Throughout the parlors
heavy plate mirrors have been fitted
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proposed sewer which the city is to
build in the northern portion of the
city, and which is intended to serve
also the adjacent parts of the rural
municipality of South Saanich, a depu-
tation, waited on the municipal council
on Saturday afternoon from the city
council, and laid the city's position be-
fore the members of that body.

In view of the fact that the munici-
pal council would be responsible for the
sum of \$15,000 involved by the en-
largement of the main sufficient to deal
with the Saanich sewerage, and that
there is no chance of a by-law passing

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to be drained, the rural council is likely
to seek additional powers from the leg-
islature either to make a contribution
to the city, or else to have the govern-
ment form a drainage district.
It was suggested that the municipali-
ty might adopt the plan already ar-
ranged with the city in connection with
waterworks of supplying the mains and
laying them, and then the municipal
council should reimburse the city for
the expenditure. However this appears
to be impossible without special legis-
lation.

PASSING SHOW

Empress Theatre.

There were bumper houses at every
performance at the Empress theatre
yesterday, and those who attended saw
a good performance. Kenney and Hollis,
the entertaining college boys, and the
Torleys, who do a novelty bicycle act,
in which some daring feats are includ-
ed, divided the honors. Another good
number was that of Grace Arnold,
who as "Footish—Lizzy of Yod-yille" who
gave a monologue that was punctuated
throughout with laughter. Other num-
bers, which add to a good programme,
are Reeves and Bradcome, who sing
some good songs, and Lord and Meek,
whose entrance is one of the most
unique seen here.

Kenney and Hollis are among the best
of the college comedians that have
been seen at the Empress. They are not
on the stage a minute until the audi-
ence is theirs, and from then on laugh-
ter holds sway. Kenney is very funny
and his partner is a very good support,
and the series of national dances which
Kenney introduces at the close of their
act is an excellent feature.

The Torleys in their bicycle act intro-
duce quite a number of difficult feats,
both on the ordinary wheel and on the
tricycle with extension frame. The
double swing around the handle bars
is one of the best feats of the kind
seen here, and was loudly applauded.
Majestic Theatre.
To-day will be shown a more than
ordinarily interesting biograph picture
entitled "Bobby the Coward," depicting
a little family consisting of the old
grandfather, Bobby and his sister, de-
pendent solely on the boy for susten-
ance. He being out of work, starts
out to look for it, and encountering a
couple of corner loafers, is insulted,
which incites him to a fight, and he
therefore branded as a coward. Later
on when the safety of the little family
is at stake, Bobby becomes their
heroic protector. "A Friendly Mar-

riage," depicting an Englishman who
weds a western girl for her money,
which she loses. Later he finds him-
self in love with his wife and makes
good by his own efforts. "Eastern
Europe" is an interesting scenic film.
Across the Mountains of New Zea-
land" is a remarkable picture of that
locality. "Nick Winter Turns a Trick,"
a detective story, and "Simple Ike
Decides to Marry" a high class comedy.

"You want the pockets to run up and
down, I suppose," said the tailor.
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plied, "I prefer stationary pockets. You
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FRENCH FASHION NOTES

PARIS, OCT. 13.

LONG velvet wraps are very much in evidence. Indeed, the vogue for velvet is very strong in walking suits, in one-piece frocks for wear under the long coat, and the velvet "hood" or bonnet is ubiquitous. Let me describe a long blue velvet wrap worn out to the knee. The hood is wide and straight to the line, with deep cuffs and collar of plush liberty satin. The wrap was lined with plush, and buttons in plush enamel, that one cannot doubt were made for the wrap, were used.

Another coat had revers and cuffs of light blue and a shawl collar. Some loose draped wraps have dull embroidery following oriental designs and colors.

Round necks of white mousseline de sole are being shown on collars for separate wraps.

Bright rose satin veiled with gray chiffon and trimmed with cream lace made a charming evening gown. With it was shown a broad band of pink silk embroidered in coral and steel beads and edged with a fall of lace. This is almost a can for the head, but just a teensy different from the mobcap of the summer.

Velvet quilts embroidered in soutache are used as trimming for white felt hats.

Many quilts show edging of fringe or fur. The woolen flowers and embroidery are much used on velvet hats.

Bright blue silk in the form of a cocarde is the favorite trimming on colored felt hats.

Silk cord and silk fringe form the trimming for a mushroom hat of black velvet with a high puffed crown. With this hat there comes a "postbag" of black velvet edged with fringe on a white cord. This is a very new note. The bag to match the hat is the favorite idea.

Large white satin hats with velvet trimming in dark colors are very chic.

Dark blue serge dresses are showing revers and cuffs of white satin. White pearl buttons are also used.

Dracoli is emphasizing long sleeves on afternoon gowns. These are reminiscent of the old-time leg-o'-mutton, but there is a modish and graceful difference. Many of the frocks for indoor occasions of this house show collarless bodices.

The small high hat with no frame to crush the hair is in great vogue. These "hoods" are of felt, camel's-hair cloth in bright blue, pink and scarlet, and are combined with black velvet that forms the crown. In many cases this latter is puffed in high, unusual shape, projecting out at the side and back.

Black-and-white shoes in chamade, kid, patent leather and cloth are keeping up the emphasis on the favorite combination. And on the whole, fashions are prettier than ever. ELOISE.

Frills and Flounces

FRILLS and flounces play an important part in the styles of today. Even on the most subdued models flounces appear on house gowns of all kinds; for afternoon and evening wear they are particularly popular. Bodices that suggest the second empire tendencies are trimmed with pleatings that form a basque marking the waist.

A few are showing the resurrection of the accordion pleating. This, however, is scant; we have no skirts over two and a half yards around, even if they are pleated.

Flounces of lace trim many of the newest skirts. Double flounces, puffs and ruffles of satin with fringed edges appear in place of a hem at the bottom of short afternoon frocks.

One odd model of soft blue silk has a point lace flounce wrapped around the narrow skirt in spiral fashion from the raised waist line to the skirt's edge, where it encircles the entire skirt.

The fichu effect, being so strongly pronounced, gives ample opportunity for use of frills. Not lace, mousseline de sole, chiffon and every fabric that is soft enough to lend itself to frilling is employed in three graceful draperies, on the outer edge of which a frill is always placed and frequently on the inner edge.

Ruffles and tiny frills trim collars and cuffs and border draperies on many of the gowns.

These are made of lace, of net or of silk with fringed edges. They give a certain soft, fluffy note to an otherwise plain frock and are especially adapted to be worn on gowns for the debauche or young man.

Tunics of transparent material, veiling satin or brocade evening gowns are frequently bordered with frills of fine lace, especially if the tunic be draped.

She who has a store of fine lace laid away in tissue paper, old lace that has been in the family for generations, may count herself fortunate, for this will be the season when she will have the opportunity to let it see the light of day, or perhaps the light of many softly shaded electric bulbs, adorning her evening gowns in varied frills and flounces.

THE LONG SEPARATE COAT

FOR all-around comfort and utility the long separate coat is still much in favor in Paris. The well-dressed Parisienne always numbers one long coat in her outfit and uses it for traveling by boat, train or motor. That is one of the reasons for the immaculate, "chic" appearance of the Frenchwoman—yes, even in a railroad station.

There are many new touches that our designers in the great center of fashion have added to the long coat. In the first place, the large circular or square collar converted back, is one of the additions to long serge, ratine, cheviot or English suiting cloaks. This can really be used as a hood, the front revers buttoning over and the capuchin fully protecting the head.

Buttons in large mother-of-pearl, tortoise-shell or brass form a decided feature in trimming the separate coats. Braid is used largely to simulate buttonholes and to give a jaunty, military effect.

Triple capes, double capes and large pockets are in vogue, while the linings of these favorites are also used on storm coats. The comfort of these types is to be regarded and seems to promise a decided continuation of the favor of the last season.

IN THE great decision of the pretty and the proper thing to wear you must not forget the children. They must be well dressed and must reflect just a little of the changes in the styles and chicities above. It must be the determining factor in dress for the little ones. With two remnants perhaps, or with the addition of silk or braid, you can make a charming little frock for school or gala days.

Look at the group before you. Blue serge is used for the oldest girl's dress. It is a style for the 10 or 14 year old girl. It emphasizes comfort and successfully conceals any awkwardness of figure. The bodice is fitted, the kimono, you will see.

Subtleties are braided to match the collar. These are of white tulle or voile. Hemstitched linen is also finding much favor for the collar and cuffs on serge. White bone buttons and soutache braid for loops are placed in a straight line down the front. There is a double skirt with hems with stitching finishing the edges. A leather belt is worn with the dress.

Soft white felt, simply trimmed with a feather ornament, is good for this girl.

Some models show a fastening at the right side, but generally speaking our Parisienne prefers to button over to the left and the modistes have regarded her choice.

Contrasting collars and cuffs of white on colors or bright colors on neutral shades are the mode.

Some wraps or coats are cut on straight lines and others have odd little seams and deviations from the straight models. Little panels are inset, the line of the waist is clearly suggested on some and belts are very much in evidence.

Large revers are the feature, and the pointed or round shaped collars at the back, padding and other decorative touches are the favorite garment.

Heavy double-faced cloths are widely used. This means that folded-back hem, revers, cuff or tab will trim the coat by its contrasting pattern. Just a few buttons added to this, and madame is ready.

In closing our little chat on coats, let the question of sleeves be not disregarded. For very wide material the vogue for the kimono sleeve is still emphasized. Raglan sleeves are also used on storm coats. The comfort of these types is to be regarded and seems to promise a decided continuation of the favor of the last season.

For the HOME DRESSMAKER

FALL STYLES FOR CHILDREN

beige hat lined with scarlet and tied with a scarlet band.

Bright blue cloth is used on the model with the contrasting hem. Dark blue cloth forms the bands on sleeves and skirt and covers the button molds that are placed down the side. A collar of lace is applied to the bodice, and lace undersleeves to match are seen peeping from the kimono sleeves. Dark blue felt

which runs around the top and the belt. A slot seam at one side is trimmed with buttons and braid loops. A sheer linen adjustable yoke is worn with this.

The small velvet hat with the wired brim and the large puffed crown is simply trimmed with an ornament and two slender fronds.

For your little girl's coat the last design offers a valuable suggestion. It

cloth. There is a band on each turned-back cuff and on the skirt, and a straight fastening from revers to hem finishes the smart little coat.

The fabric hat shows the two materials in a mushroom shape. The lighter shade forms the puffed crown and the drooping brim is braided. A band of velvet surrounds it and a metal buckle fastens at the side.

Of course, you must suit your child's complexion and your own pocketbook in choosing colors and fabrics. But any of these hints will be very becoming to a young girl. These hats and frocks

VARIETY IN TRIMMINGS

AFTER selecting one of the many beautiful fabrics that fall fashions are weaving for you, you are confronted with the problem of trimming the dress. Over in Paris the designers have provided for all colors, lines and combinations, and a wealth of trimming is shown for your benefit.

First, there are gorgeous beaded trimmings, that are lovelier than those of last year—and who could imagine anything to surpass the beadwork of the spring? But the seemingly impossible has been accomplished. Garnitures, boleros, tunics, motifs and bands are made of chiffon, net, maline, and beaded in oriental colorings and rich effects.

The Egyptian and East Indian effects are prominent, and Persian colorings vie with them for favor. Besides the beaded accessories, there are fringes of beads that are convincing and tempting in their beauty.

Fringes of silk or chenille and of Irish crochet lace and balls are also in vogue. This trimming is perhaps the most persistent factor in all plans of the French designers.

Exquisite embroideries are offered to your inquiring eye. Here are bands of net embroidered in ribbon that gives raised effects in flowers, which are much used in the quaint Louis mode. Then there are combinations of silk and beads.

The vogue for chenille embroidery is emphasized in the majority of cases. Closely related to this is the favoritism accorded to wool embroidery.

Imitation jewels are used on trimmings for decorating evening gowns. Rhinestones that are of expensive quality are combined with coral and sapphires in wonderful designs on ornaments for dress.

Gold and silver metallic effects are exploited by many modistes, and for evening especially they will hold important places.

Buttons are shown in greater numbers than ever. And that's saying much for buttons. The smallest shapes of black velvet and satin are used on neckweaves and blouses. Bone buttons colored so that they match the fall suitings are decided features in trimming tailored suits. Pearl buttons and tortoise-shell are used on long coats and silver and brass are in evidence on collars and cuffs of bright colors. Braids and cords are another decorative agent for fall use. The braids are twisted and turned into all kinds of ornaments, and the variety of widths and designs in the flat braids ought to meet every demand.

Altogether, the decoration of your gown is solved for you. From the immense offering of the fall Paris designer chooses, and it is for you to emulate his example.

Fichu Fastenings

THE popularity of the Marie Antoinette fichu is undeniable. The fichu line is one of grace and beauty and is used generally by the prominent modistes on the fall and winter models.

But how is the fichu fastened? There are many answers to that question. Antique buckles are used on evening dresses to a great extent. Chiffon net, maline, soft lace and mousseline are folded across the shoulders and fastened at the front on the girdle under oval, square, circular and in regular metal buckles, that are really "old" or cleverly wrought to imitate the antique forms.

Fabric ornaments are also used. The velvet bow, the silk rosette or cabochon of lace, the twisted form of cord are exemplifications of the buckle idea.

Huge flowers are also used, and bunches of small blossoms have come into their deserved popularity.

The designers never neglect an opportunity to improve a decorative point. They have made the most of the fichu fastenings, and we are the ones who will profit by their cleverness and their knowledge of the beautiful in dress.



from Paris are delightful solutions to the question that is always assailing each mother's mind. Let the group answer for your daughter.

Scarlet serge, with bands of white cloth on which black braid is stitched, forms the second model. A panel in front has side-pleats over the shoulders, and a pointed yoke is button trimmed and ornamented with the white cloth. A belt holds in the blouse and ends at the panel. The gilt buttons, by the way, are the thing.

To wear with this little dress is a

is trimmed with a velvet band and wired loops. This design in serge, with plaid silk collar and cuffs, is very practical and becoming.

The fourth suggestion can be copied in heavy linen if you wish washable frocks, or in lightweight henrietta, venetian cloth or serge. Narrow soutache is used on the serpentine braid design

is of blue ratine and has bands of darker blue as trimming. There are long revers that form a pointed collar at the back. These are edged with dark

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The Bag To Match The Hat



Tapestry combined with Gold Braid

Black Velvet and White Fringe

ONE might almost call this the "matching age," for now to be in fashion one's clothes must match, and so must the accessories; or, if they do not exactly match the costume, they at least must correspond. Here we have hats and bags that match.

Nowadays the fancy handbag is as much a part of the costume as the hat itself; therefore, fashion dictates that they must match.

If, then, you choose a hat of black velvet showing a brim trimmed with white silk fringe, your bag must also be of black velvet and white fringe. Behold in the picture a very good

Illustration of the point. The hat is made with a high, full crown of velvet, with rows of fringe sewed to the narrow brim. The bag is simply a little envelope

shape, edged with white fringe, fastened over with a crocheted button and held by a long black silk cord. The hat with a blue-and-gold tapestry brim has a puffed crown of

blue satin held down with thick gold cord, knotted gracefully on one side. The same idea is carried out in the bag, which is made of gold-and-blue tapestry edged with gold galloon and

carried by a long gold cord that is knotted on each side.

Such bags are carried with velvet hats trimmed with crown bands and felt pump bows at sides.

A very handsome set is made of royal purple satin veiled with fine black fillet net and brightened with out jet ornaments.

The bag shown the net veiling, as does a huge pillow muff which has its sides edged with fur.

Keep in mind, when selecting your winter hat, to have a bag made to match; and if you would be decidedly in the mode, have a muff to complete the set.

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NEW HAZELTON SITE IDEAL FOR BIG CITY

Much Interest Taken in Announcement Made Regarding Location of Skeena

Much interest has been taken in the announcement made recently by the officials of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway in connection with the location of its new townsite at Hazelton. The townsite, of 350 acres, situated on the Skeena river, just to the south of its junction with the Bulkley, has been purchased by the company. As it is only about a mile and a half from the old townsite of Hazelton, it will be called South Hazelton, and with the consent of the citizens of the present town of Hazelton, may by an enabling bill become known in a few months by the name of Hazelton simply. The citizens of the present Hazelton have intimated their intention of moving to the new townsite, which will be situated on the railway, and will be connected with the old town by a bridge across the Bulkley river.

For topographical reasons it was not possible for the railway to utilize the present Hazelton site. The new townsite, which is situated on a plateau 350 feet above the level of the river, is admirably adapted for the building of a great city. The residents of old Hazelton are pleased with the announcement and expect next year, with the completion of the G.T.P. railway to that city, that the place will go ahead by leaps and bounds.

President Hays, of the G.T.P., at the annual meeting of the directors held in Montreal only a few days ago, stated that the G.T.P. would be running trains into Tete Jaune Cache at the western end of the Yellowhead Pass and at the head of navigation on the South Fork of the Fraser river late in 1911. This means that next spring Grand Trunk Pacific railway freight and passenger trains will connect with the steamers on the South Fork of the Fraser river at Tete Jaune Cache, thus giving direct rail and water transportation to a country tributary to 1,000 miles of navigable waterways. If one pauses for a moment to consider what 1,000 miles of almost virgin territory means, especially a territory such as there is in the central interior of British Columbia, it will almost astound him with the possibilities in

store for that region beginning in the early season of 1912.

When interviewed in Vancouver last week, George J. Hannam, president of the National Resources Security Co., which concerns put through the deal whereby the G.T.P. acquired its new site, had the following to say about the projected line of the Grand Trunk Pacific to Vancouver:

"It seems to me that everyone ought to get out and look for a north and south railway. Personally I have not the slightest interest in any railway charter, or any particular railway that is chartered. What I want to see is transportation from Vancouver to Port George, and from Port George to the Peace River. The Grand Trunk Pacific has a branch projected from Port George to Vancouver. There are other railways either chartered or about to ask for charters to build in the same direction. I believe that one of the most important matters to be decided by the British Columbia government at this time is a north and south railway to develop the province."

TAKES SIX MORE TRAMPS

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 28.—The United States government has chartered six more foreign tramp steamers for coal from the Atlantic to Mare Island, two to load in November, two in December and two in January. This makes nine tramps now chartered for this port, while three are under charter for the Sound. With the present scarcity of tonnage, all will find ready demand upon arriving.

W. R. Grace & Co. have just chartered the schooner Mindoro to load lumber on the Sound for Valparaiso for orders at 52s. The Mindoro is now at Honolulu.

The Coos Bay and Eureka S. S. Co. was incorporated here yesterday by W. R. and F. W. Scammell, James Jerome and L. Lee, the capitalization being \$25,000. It is planned to operate one steam schooner between the two ports mentioned.

The Standard Oil tanker Niagara arrived yesterday from Shanghai and the liner City of Puebla from the Sound. The American-Hawaiian freighter Columbian and the fishing schooner R. P. Rithet for Honolulu, the barque R. P. Rithet for Honolulu, the Harrison line service recently established between Europe and the North Pacific as a feeder precedent to the placing of a large fleet of freighters on the run when the canal opens, appears to be receiving the support of shippers on the coast, judging from the cargoes which the few vessels have carried away to England. The Crown of Castile will be the vessel to be dispatched from here. She will

be full up. She has received a large shipment at different British Columbia ports and takes from here heavy consignments of California products, principally canned goods.

TURMOIL IN THE MEXICAN REPUBLIC

Supporters of President-Elect Madero Alleged to Be Aiding Revolutionists

Mexico City, Oct. 31.—Torn with dissension, her capital surrounded by bands of armed rebels who threaten to burn and loot the city, her president-elect accused of fostering the revolt in order that he may obtain the glory of quelling it, her provisional government disrupted by internal disturbances and threats of external war, Mexico faces one of the greatest crises in her career.

Following the open accusation by several Mexican journals that Francisco I. Madero was back of the Zapata rebellion, the de la Barra government added authenticity to the rumor when it openly accused Madero of making false promises to the rebels in order that he might prolong the revolt until early in November, when Madero would take office, and "it is alleged, 'put down' the rebellion for his own personal glory. In reality, his enemies claim, the revolt would have died a natural death weeks ago had it not been financed by the Maderist faction.

In addition to this alleged plot of the Maderists, Dr. Francisco Vasquez Gomez, until Friday the minister of public education, is accused of plotting for General Reyes, and is reported to have a small army in readiness to take the field should the aged general desire to fight for the presidency. This Gomez denies, but the government warned him not to leave the city, so that he may have no opportunity of furthering any plans in the provinces. The last federal detachment sent out to the suburbs has not been heard from, and it is thought that the Zapataists have cut the telephone wires leading into the city, thus preventing any news from being received, except that brought by messengers. From present prospects, it is probable that Madero's inauguration will take place November 8, instead of November 5, as planned.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION ENDS

Noah Shakespeare of Victoria
Elected Honorary President
—Other Officers

With a gathering which completely filled Queen's Avenue Methodist church, after a street parade over 500 strong, the Sunday school conference under the auspices of the British Columbian Sunday School Association at New Westminster came to a close. The convention is described by every one who took part in it as the most successful ever held under the auspices of the association.

The convention agreed to a letter-gram being sent to Noah Shakespeare, Victoria, father of the British Columbia Sunday school convention, and incumbent of the office of honorary president, sympathizing with him in his temporary indisposition and conveying to him brotherly greetings.

Mr. Bull, the new president, offered a few remarks, in course of which he said the convention now closing had been one of the best it had ever been his privilege to attend. Many subjects had been brought up for discussion and the delegates had been brought face to face with many problems which confronted them in Sunday school work. In particular, the question of teacher-training had come up most insistently, and opinion on the question had been furthered by the discussions in convention.

I. W. Williamson, Vancouver, general secretary, gave the closing address.

The adult Bible class movement was a reply to the accusation, that the church is decaying. A growth from 1,400 members to 23,000 in three years showed that seldom in the history of the world had there been such an application of strong-man power, of concentrated manhood, to religious work as had been the case during those three years.

Officers elected were as follows:

Honorary president, Noah Shakespeare, Victoria; honorary vice-president, A. L. Fortune, Enderby; president, Joseph Bull, Kelowna; vice-president, H. J. Knott, Victoria; recording secretary, Miss N. Brown, Vancouver; treasurer, C. E. Mahon, Vancouver; chairman of central committee, A. G. Giesler, Vancouver; audit department, A. Stahler, Vancouver; elementary, Mrs. Dr. MacKay, Vancouver; temperance and moral reform, Rev. C. W. Whitaker, Mission City; teacher-training, Rev. D. J. Welsh, Kelowna; missionary, Rev. J. R. Robertson, Nanaimo; extension, left to central committee; auditor, J. S. Rankin, Vancouver.

District members of executive—Cumberland, Dr. Gillespie; Nanaimo, J. E. T. Powers; Victoria, W. A. Gleason; Vancouver, W. J. White; New Westminster, R. F. Casselman; Chilliwack, Mr. Cowan; Nicola, Mr. Deidman; Kimberley, Dr. Archibald; Revelstoke, Mr. Lang; Okanagan, Dr. Sawyer; Slokan, J. C. H. Christie; Boundary, G. T. Blair; Kaslo, J. Green; Cranbrook, S. Brown; Port Hope, W. F. Muirhead; Nelson, H. E. Dill; Rossland, J. Harris.

OUR LETTER BOX

A PROTEST AGAINST WAR

To the Editor:—The declaration of war made by Italy against Turkey seems to have caused scarcely a ripple of interest on this side of the Atlantic ocean. The newspapers almost ignore it; the preachers avoid it; the public generally are apathetic about it. Occasionally one hears an expletive about Turkey, and a careless hope that Italy will win out in the struggle.

If an earthquake occurs in Sicily, and a few hundred human lives are lost; or a big ship freighted with passengers goes down in mid-ocean, or a conversation of nature takes place, then the civilized world stands aghast; but if a nation was against another nation, and thousands of human lives are sacrificed by playing the war-game over a piece of real estate, then, "let us eat, drink and be merry."

Diplomatists shrug their shoulders, statesmen ponder upon the possible eventualities, naval and military experts watch the development of the war-game, and even Christianity itself is indifferent.

War is murder practised wholesale; it brings desolation, rapine, misery and crime in its train. It is the invention of Hell, and deserves the execration of every lover of humanity. No excuse justifies it, no sophistry can ever palliate it. It is an undisputed evil, accursed of God and man. It brutalizes nations and degrades manhood. Whether Christian Italy or Mussulman Turkey; whether "Heathen" China, the Stars and Stripes or the Union Jack engage in it, it is the product of the infernal pit, and alike deserves to be a "hissing and reproach" for honest men and gentle women. I call the following stanzas from Longfellow, which I commend to the thoughtful perusal of your readers:

Were half the power that fills the world with terror,
Were half the force bestowed on camps and fort,
Given to redeem the human mind from error,
There were no need of arsenals nor forts;

The warrior's name would be a name
Abhorred;
And every nation that should lift
Again
Its hand against a brother, on its forge
Would wear for evermore the curse
Of Cain!

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"The Rich Mr. Hogenheimer."

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Another well known member, Alf Goulding, conceded to be the best character comedian in this country, has been especially engaged to play the part of Percy Vorex. In the cast will be also Miss Lillian Coleman, the favorite prima donna, who was with the Rogers Brothers in their successful productions in New York.

Thirty of the prettiest, liveliest and best-vocalized girls obtainable will constitute the feminine portion of Dill's chorus, and the costumes and accessories

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MUCKRAKER ASSAILS FOREIGN MISSIONS

Criticizes Administration of
Missionary Funds by Comparison
With Local Conditions

Readers of the popular magazines need not be told that in their prowlings for sensations the muckrakers have reached the churches, says the Mail and Empire. Some of them attempt to "expose" the higher critics, as in the sensational article, "Blasting at the Rock of Ages," that appeared some time ago. In Hampton's Magazine, Dr. Thomas E. Green, who is not, however, a professional muckraker, makes an attack on the foreign missions of the American Protestant denominations, especially the Methodist. He proceeds to the task with some art, despite the fact that he is an amateur—and endeavors to score his point by inflaming the poorly read home preacher against his more fortunate brother who is depicted as rolling in a certain degree of luxury at his foreign post. Dr. Green invites attention to the spectacle of the prosperous deacon or elder driving up in his automobile to the home of the struggling preacher and reminding him that on the next Sunday he is to make a passionate appeal for foreign missions.

The harassed minister and his wife have a hard battle to make end meet; the salary is always small sometimes it is not all paid; often it is long overdue before it comes. Far different is the lot of the brother who is stationed in China. He gets a salary of \$1,500 a year, and since the purchasing power of money is so much greater in China than it is on this continent, Dr. Green thinks that it might safely be estimated at three times as much. There is no doubt that Dr. Green is in error on this point. The average missionary in China does not earn \$1,500 a year, and it is doubtful if he can buy more with his money there than he can in the United States. Certainly, things that are considered common comforts, even necessities, on this continent are absolutely unpurchasable at any price at most foreign mission posts. Moreover, a writer in the China Mail said the other day that living was actually much more expensive in a white man in China than at home. The only cheap things he hired help, which is cheap because it is generally inefficient and perhaps dishonest.

The writer in Hampton's declares that not only is the foreign missionary well paid for his work but that his wife is also frequently remunerated, whereas the toiling mate of the preacher who remains at home has to do nearly as much church work as her husband and receives bare thanks for it. On this point he is corrected by the editor of the Christian Advocate, who points out that only in South America, where the Methodist Episcopal church has many schools, is a missionary's wife paid a salary, and then only because she teaches in the schools. In these cases the missionary is paid the salary of a single man and his wife the salary of a single woman. In most churches salaries to missionaries vary according to the length of time the preacher has been at work, and according to whether he is married or single. Looking over the official list of salaries as submitted by the Advocate, we are not impressed by the possibilities of graft, and have every reason to doubt that the salary alone would tempt one to the foreign field.

The muckraking doctor goes on to show, or rather to charge, that most of the money contributed to foreign missions is wasted. He declares it to be an acknowledged fact that it takes one dollar to make another dollar effective in the field. He relates a conversation he had with a missionary who had spent eight years in India, who told him that every dollar that came into actual practical use in his work had cost the Foreign Missionary Society three dollars and seventy-five cents to put it there. Where the great leakage occurs Dr. Green does not say, for he admits that mission funds are administered with the most religious honesty and with no little ability into the bargain. This charge of wasteful administration is resented by the Christian Advocate, which submits figures to prove that as far as the missions of the Methodist Episcopal church are concerned less than nine per cent. of the fund collected goes in expenses of administration. It is not necessary to claim that 90 per cent. of the money subscribed for foreign missions actually gets into the field. A much smaller percentage would still be good business, and we have no doubt that the operating expenses of foreign missions are small enough to arouse the admiration of most business men.

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He was one of the first three Labor members of parliament, the first working man to reach the Treasury Bench, the first artisan to serve on a Royal Commission, the first workman to become a county J.P. in England.

Broadhurst was born at Littlemore, near Oxford, the son of a stonemason, and began work when a child of eight. After the Crimean war unemployment was rife, and he tramped 1,400 miles looking for work.

A member of the Operative Society of Stonemasons, he soon came to the front. In 1873 he was chosen to represent the society at the Trade Union Congress, and was at once elected as a member of the parliamentary committee.

In 1874 Mr. Broadhurst was unsuccessful in his attempt to capture High Wycombe from the Hon. W. H. P. Carrington. At this election Mr. Burt and Mr. A. Macdonald were returned as the first Labor members. With better luck six years later Broadhurst was elected, along with Mr. Woodall, for Stoke-on-Trent.

Stoke lost a member in the Redistribution Bill of 1885, and Broadhurst was returned for the Bordesley Division of Birmingham. He then successfully contested West Nottingham. In 1892 he lost the seat, but was returned in 1894 for Leicester, which he continued to represent until his retirement in 1906.

In 1882 Mr. Broadhurst was offered the inspectorship of factories and workshops, worth £600 a year, and in 1884 the inspectorship of canal boats, both of which he declined. In 1886 Mr. Gladstone offered him the position of Under-Secretary of State in the Home Department, which he accepted. He was the first minister of the Crown of humble origin, but his official career terminated in a few months.

He served on the Royal Commission on the Housing of the Poor, of which the late King Edward was the chairman. This led to a great friendship between the Prince and the workman. When first invited by the Prince to Sandringham he refused for the same reason, which prompted him to eschew Royal functions. He had no evening dress suit then, and indeed, has never had one.

But, on being pressed by the Prince and Princess, Mr. Broadhurst went to Sandringham for three days, and he tells in his autobiography that he was never entertained more to his liking and never felt more at home. Visiting the village club, Prince and M.P. sat down to a glass of ale each in the club room, where several farm laborers were enjoying their half-pints and their pipes.

Mr. Broadhurst was at no pains to hide his origin. Once, when talking to Sir John Morley, member for Oxford, in the House of Commons, the conversation turned on the university, and Broadhurst said he had been at Christ Church—but he added, only to assist in fixing some chimney pots. He has also related how he began his career as an M.P. with £2 a week, eked out by the help of his wife, who for years made all his clothes. He married, when 19, the daughter of Mr. Edward Olley, journeyman currier, of Norwich. She died at Cromer some five years ago, her death being a great blow to him. They had no children. At Cromer, where he had a cottage for many years, he took an active part in local affairs. He was vice-chairman of the Urban District Council and alderman of the Norfolk County Council. To his energy Cromer and Sheringham owe their golf links.

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On passing out of College, Cadets will be rated Midshipmen, and will receive pay at the rate of \$2 per diem. Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 15th October next.

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STRONG MAN OF ITALY

Minister of Foreign Affairs
Seized Opportune Moment
for Seizing Tripoli

Why this sudden emergence of Italy in the role of an aggressor?

It has been said that it is the coming of a new national consciousness and probably there is a measure of truth in it. Others hold that it is simply the grasping of an opportunity, but the opportunity was there and might have been grasped any time since the Berlin Congress marked Tripoli for Italy's exploitation. Ah, but Italy was busy consolidating her kingdom out of the group of states that were hung together under the rule of Victor Emmanuel say the first—consolidating, reducing to order and educating.

To this it is again replied that Italy has still internal troubles on her hand, that brigandage has not yet been suppressed, and as for education, there is evidently great scope. In view of the fact that at the present time in towns within half an hour's railway journey from Rome, a government quarantine to prevent the spread of pestilence is looked upon by the inhabitants as an artful contrivance for killing off the people. Italy, it may be claimed, is hardly the country to give enlightened government to a place that has long been under the unprogressive tyranny of the Turks.

Still Germany's action at Agadir may be said to have given the opportunity for Italian activity and with the opportunity has come the emergence of a new and forceful personality. This was so in the case of Austria-Hungary's swoop upon Bosnia and Herzegovina three years ago.

The parallel indeed between the policy of Vienna in 1908 and that of Rome in 1911 is curiously close. In both cases the blow aimed at Turkey; and in both cases its delivery marks the entrance of a bold and skilful newcomer to the field of international diplomacy. Bosnia and Herzegovina first gave the world the measure of Count Aehrenthal. Tripoli seems equally destined to reveal the attractive and vigorous figure of the Marquis di San Giuliano.

Austria and Italy are friends, who harbor an instinctive conviction of future enmity. They are allies because if they were not they would have no option but to be foes. They are historical, and in a sense, natural antagonists locked up in an embrace of hate and enmeshed in a deadly embrace. Nothing could be more disastrous to European tranquility than that Italy and Austria should each recover her freedom. It is only a short while ago that the armies of both Powers were ostentatiously manœuvring on either side of their common frontier, and almost within sight of one another. The status quo, it is true, both in the Balkans and in Albania is guaranteed by various Austro-Italian understandings, but the dislike of Austria remains innate in all Italians; it is sharply intensified by the persistence of Vienna in reviving in the Trentino and Trieste the Austro-Italian policy that lost her the Lombardo-Venetian provinces, and a good deal of pressure is needed to keep it under official control whenever Austria makes a forward movement in the Near East.

Before very long we may see Count Aehrenthal and the Marquis di San Giuliano drawn into an antagonism as sharp as that of two gladiators in a Roman arena. We may see them duplicating the famous diplomatic duel of Bismarck and Metetrhich and Bulow and Delcasse.

The Marquis di San Giuliano, the present Italian Minister for Foreign Affairs, and the author and prosecutor of the campaign against Tripoli, is perhaps better known in London than in any other European capital. The two years or so that he has spent there as Ambassador gave Londoners an opportunity of studying at close range the strongest and best-equipped personality that has served the Italian government since the fall of Crispi.

The Marquis is a Sicilian nobleman of Norman descent, some fifty-eight years old, a senator of the kingdom, and thus happily removed from the exigencies of electioneering, and a confirmed student of foreign affairs. In nearly thirty years of political life he has held but four offices. After serving as Under Secretary in the Ministry of Agriculture and in the Foreign Office, he accepted the portfolio of Postmaster General in the Pelloux Cabinet of 1899-1900. But he did not attain to the post to which his instincts and studies had always inclined him, and for which his talents marked him out, until towards the end of 1906, when the Fortis Cabinet was reconstituted, and he became Minister for Foreign Affairs.

The appointment was not well received either in Vienna or Berlin. The Marquis di San Giuliano knew far too much for the comfort of his country's allies. Foreign and colonial questions have been his hobby almost from boyhood; he has something of Lord Curzon's old passion for investigating them on the spot and at first hand; his range of political interests and information is hardly inferior to that of the late Sir Charles Dilke, Albania, the Balkans, the Trentino, Tripoli, Egypt, all are districts, in fact, which are the special concern of the Italian Foreign Office, he has visited and explored, not as a mere sightseer, but, as his admirable writings show, as a keen and comprehensive student of men and affairs.

With a Sicilian quickness of mind, and a Rooseveltian power of acquisition, the Marquis united a strong and sober judgment, and a detachment not unlike Lord Rosebery's from the ordinary stress of party politics. He is the first Italian Foreign Minister of the last two decades who can be said to have a mind of his own, and to be really an expert in the questions that come before him. His predecessors have been little more than royal secretaries. They have followed the line of least resistance, and allowed the practical direction of affairs to rest with the King—an arrangement which has worked well.

For good or ill, however, it is impossible for the Marquis di San Giuliano to efface himself in that way. He is Foreign Secretary in fact as well as name, a confident, resolute man of pronounced individuality, and much more used to framing his own policies and opinions than to accepting them from

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someone else. In Vienna he is suspected of belonging to the class of men "who have been there and ought to know." Men of that class have usually a policy of their own, and as a rule that policy is of the "forward" school. The Italian Foreign Minister has seen with his own eyes the efforts of Austria to suppress Italian sympathies and nationality in the Trentino and Trieste, and to push her domination along the eastern coast of the Adriatic and in the Balkans. In the question of Tripoli, where Italian interests are very largely Sicilian interests, the Marquis, a Sicilian himself, has always been particularly concerned. He knows every aspect of it, physical as well as political, and his present course of action is the outcome of views long since formed and often expressed, both on paper and in conversation.

M'NAMARA TRIAL

Tilts Between Counsel End in Favor of Attorneys For State.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 28.—Battle royal between opposing counsel in the McNameara trial was in full progress when court adjourned until Monday, with the only definite point scored admittedly in favor of the state. The contest was not without features, which relieved its legal monotony, particularly a collision between the court and the defence, as to whether a talesman was afflicted with deafness and whether the judge was hoarse to-day.

T. J. Lee, the talesman in question, finally said the hearing of his left ear was somewhat impaired, but his final excuse came because of his opposition to the infliction of the death penalty on circumstantial evidence. As to the court's hoarseness, it became a matter of official record on demand of Attorney Joseph Scott.

Judge Walter Bordwell to-day decided a four-day controversy over Talesman A. C. Winter, in the McNameara murder trial by refusing to excuse him from jury service. The defence challenged Winter after he had said that he had a fixed opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the defendant, but told attorneys for the state that he thought he could give a fair trial.

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At 2 o'clock

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publics, many of which are capable of
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take over the duty of administering the
affairs of these countries in their own
interest and the interest of the world
generally no objection should be ad-
vanced to an enlightened European na-
tion doing it. Mr. Vrooman does not
think it worth fighting for.

The omnipresent danger of European
combustion with Germany in her pre-
sant economic condition is one of the
menaces which Mr. Vrooman has noted
on his calendar. The other is the Asi-
atic situation. This, to his mind, is the
real problem of the future. China's
progress in the last few years has been
remarkable and she has just been rub-
bing her eyes. The present insurrec-
tion, which may become a full-fledged
revolution, is a manifestation of the
returning energy of this giant of the
Pacific. China, comparatively modern-
ized, would be a Japan magnified many
times, especially in an industrial sense.
Trade supremacy on the Pacific, which
will affect the trade supremacy of the
world, will only be settled after the
West and East have come to grips in
a commercial way.

Mr. Vrooman expects to return to
England during the winter, but he calls
British Columbia his home and so
registers himself abroad.

MAN ACCIDENTALLY
KILLED BY HIS SON

Shot While Out Hunting Grouse
and Succumbs to His
Injuries

Armstrong, Oct. 31.—A most painful
and distressing accident, accompanied
by fatal results, occurred here a few
days ago. Henry Ehmké, the victim,
accompanied by two of his sons, went
out for a walk, and on the chance of
seeing some grouse took their guns
with them. When down on Gus Schu-
bert's ranch on Deep Creek, while all
three were walking through some
brush, a 32 rifle in the hands of Wil-
liam, the youngest son, aged 14 years,
accidentally went off, the bullet strik-
ing Mr. Ehmké near the base of the
skull and coming out near the left ear.
Medical assistance was sent for im-
mediately and as soon as possible Dr.
Van Kleeck was on the scene, and
having made a hasty examination of
the wounded man, ordered him con-
veyed to his home. A rig and stretcher
was procured and with all possible
haste he was conveyed home. Upon
arrival an operation was performed by
Drs. Van Kleeck and Thompson, but
nothing could be done to save his life
and he passed away at 6.30, never hav-
ing regained consciousness.

At the inquest evidence was given by
Herman Ehmké and William Ehmké
and by Dr. Van Kleeck.

The jury on conclusion of the pro-
ceedings handed in the following ver-
dict: "That the deceased came to his
death through the accidental discharge
of a rifle in the hands of William
Ehmké, and that no blame attaches to
anyone in the matter."

The jury added a rider expressing
sympathy with Mrs. Ehmké and family
on the great loss which they have suf-
fered.

Henry Ehmké was born in the prov-
ince of Schleswig-Holstein, on the 27th
day of May, 1856. After the ceding
of this province to Germany he en-
rolled in the Prussian army and took
an active part in the stirring Franco-
German war. He and his wife emi-
grated to Canada in 1885 and came
right through to British Columbia and
took up their residence at Landsdowne
in this district. He later removed to
a farm on Pleasant Valley road, and
having sold this he moved with his
wife and family to Armstrong, where
he resided till death.

FORMER SHAH FAILS.

Agents to Organize Campaign to Re-
gain Persian Throne Return
Home

St. Petersburg, Oct. 31.—Private in-
formation from Tiflis confirms the re-
ports of the complete failure of the ef-
forts of the former Shah of Persia, aid-
ed by Russia, to regain the throne and
destroy the constitutional govern-
ments. The Shah's agents who organ-
ized the expedition to Tiflis and Baku
and accompanied their master into
Persia, have all returned home.

News-papers here publish a telegram
from Tiflis stating that a council has
just been held in the palace of the
viceroys of the Caucasus, at which the
consular agents of Russia considered
measures to check constitutionalism in
Persia and Turkey and that the friends
of the regenerative movement in those
countries are most anxious as to the
future.

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